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NEW SERIES.

The Society's Work.

A MEETING of the Committee of the Society, being the first of the present Session, was held at the Society House, 7, Dean's Yard, Westminster Abbey, London, S.W., on Thursday, November the 21st, 1889, at 2 p.m.

Present—The Rev. C. F. NORMAN in the Chair.

Rev. Canon CAZENOVE.
Rev. Canon J. ERSKINE CLARKE.
Rev. Canon A. J. INGRAM.
Rev. C. ALFRED JONES.
Rev. C. WYATT-SMITH.
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F. H. ROOKE, Esq.
EDWARD THORNTON, Esq.

Rev. R. MILBURN BLAKISTON, *Secretary*.

The available balances in hand were:—

General Fund	£2475 70	£2545
Mission Buildings Fund		
"R. M. Fund"		191
Hine Legacy		781

The Finance Report was prepared by the Rev. C. Alfred Jones, the Rev. George Miller, the Rev. C. Wyatt-Smith, Arthur Powell, Esq., and the Rev. R. Milburn Blakiston, Secretary.

The following applications were then considered and dealt with as stated:—

I. BUILDING ADDITIONAL NEW CHURCHES.

1.—No. 9392.—ETON MISSION DISTRICT, in the parish of S. Augustine's, Hackney. Dio. London.—This parish contains a population of 14,000, 6000 of whom are in the new district. The Church, when completed, will hold 800, and the cost is estimated at £10,237. It is proposed for the present to omit three bays at the

west end and build for 600 only. The estimated cost of this is £7800, and the deficiency £1637. All seats free. The inhabitants of this Mission District are nearly all poor. Applicant, Rev. E. K. Douglas; Architects, Messrs. Bodley & Garner, London.—**£250** granted.

2.—No. 9373.—HAMSTEAD, S. PAUL, in the parish of Handsworth, near Birmingham. Dio. Lichfield.—The Church is to hold 460 persons. All seats free. The estimated cost is £3003. There has been for many years a temporary Church at Hamstead, but it is now falling to pieces. The opening of a colliery close by has brought a population of miners, and a little town is fast springing up. For these the present Church is inadequate, and it is desired to have one that can be consecrated, and to make the district a parish.—Applicant, Rev. W. Randall, D.D.; Architect, Mr. W. Davis, Birmingham.—**£150** voted.

3.—No. 9388.—HARRINGAY, S. PAUL, in the parish of S. Mary's, Hornsey. Dio. London.—The district in which this Church is to be erected will be taken principally from Hornsey Parish, and partly from Holy Trinity, Stroud Green, and S. Ann's, Hanger Lane, and contains a population of 3000. It is wished to make the whole Church, which will contain 834 seats, free, but until an endowment is provided, which it is believed the Commissioners will do ultimately, 397 seats must be rented. The total cost is estimated at £8000. It is proposed to build as soon as possible such a part of the Church as will cost £5500, and so satisfy for a time the really primary needs of the district.—Applicant, Rev. J. H. Greaves; Architect, Mr. G. M. Silley, London.—**£125** voted.

4.—No. 9370.—HIGHCLIFFE, ALL SAINTS', in the parish of Chitcomb, near Winchester. Dio. Winchester.—The great increase in the last three years of the population at the Winchester end of this parish demands urgently that some effort should be made to meet the growing spiritual needs of that population, more especially as it consists mainly of artisans and their families. The parish is large, as it contains 2300 acres adjoining Winchester on the east and south. In 1881 the population was 300, it is now estimated at 1000, and is steadily growing. The old Parish Church (which is very remote and in a thinly inhabited part of the parish) can only accommodate eighty-four persons, and will not be interfered with. The new Church will hold 475, all seats free. The cost is estimated at £5500.—Applicant, Rev. N. H. Barr; Architect, Mr. J. L. Pearson, R.A., London.—**£150** voted.

II. RE-BUILDING ON SAME OR NEW SITE.

5.—No. 9387.—FENTON, CHRIST CHURCH, near Stoke-on-Trent. Dio. Lichfield.—This Church was re-built A.D. 1839, partially repaired in 1856. The building is very dilapidated owing principally to the want of substantial building originally. Mining operations are carried on in the district, but the mines are reserved under the building and surrounding it for some distance for the purpose of security. There will be an increase of 358 sittings. The new Church will hold 881, all seats free, and the estimated cost is £5730.—Applicant, Rev. H. C. Turner; Architect, Mr. C. Lynam, Stoke-on-Trent.—**£225** voted.

6.—No. 9234.—HARLOW, S. MARY MAGDALENE. Dio. S. Alban's.—This Church was built A.D. 1834, assisted by a grant of £250 from this Society. In 1888 a grant of £30 was voted towards the erection of a chancel, vestry, and organ chamber. The present application is for aid towards re-building the nave and adding a tower. The Church, when completed, will hold 174 persons, all seats free. Estimated cost, £2400. Applicant, Rev. H. Elwell; Architect, Mr. Ewan Christian, London. —**£45** voted.

III. Enlarging or Reseating with Repairs.

7.—No. 9366.—Alkerton, S. Michael, near Banbury. Dio. Oxford.—Deferred.

8.—No. 9389.—Bradford Abbas, S. Mary, near Sherborne. Dio. Salisbury.—This Church was built A.D. 1470, repaired in 1842 assisted by a grant of £50 from this Society. This application is for the restoration of roof and repair of bells. The present structure was probably built by William Bradford, Abbot of Sherborne, 1436. Estimated cost, £1100. Applicant, Rev. G. B. Wickham; Architects, Messrs. C. & C. B. Benson, Yeovil.—£20 voted.

*** This grant has since been relinquished, as a munificent donor has given a sum sufficient to complete the work.

9.—No. 9312.—Brandesburton, S. Mary, near Hull. Dio. York.—Deferred under Rule XXXIII.

10.—No. 9383.—Colton, Holy Trinity, near Ulverstone. Dio. Carlisle.—This is a very ancient Church, the centre of a mountain district on the Furness Fells, the area being forty-two square miles. There is a Pre-Reformation bell in a good state of repair and in constant use. The Chalice is an Elizabethan cup and cover, and bears the date 1571. An ancient font (supposed to be coeval with the bell) has recently been found upside down under the present font which bears the date 1718; a sun-dial was also found bearing date 1764. Estimated cost, £600. Applicant, Rev. A. A. Williams.—Architects, Messrs. Settle & Farmer, Ulverstone.—£20 voted.

11.—No. 9391.—Corsley, S. Margaret, near Warminster. Dio. Salisbury.—This Church was built A.D. 1832, assisted by a grant of £350 from this Society; the building is in good condition. The removal of galleries is absolutely necessary to ensure decent and proper behaviour on the part of some members of the congregation. The present seats are uncomfortable and unsightly. The general appearance of present arrangement is unlike that of a well-ordered Church. Estimated cost, £400. Applicant, Rev. R. E. Coles; Architect, Mr. F. W. Hunt, London.—£15 voted.

12.—No. 8515.—Farnborough, S. Mark. Dio. Winchester.—When the nave and chancel of this Church were built in 1881, the Society made a grant of £180, the seating accommodation then provided being 370. It is now proposed to increase the accommodation to the extent of 220 seats, by the addition of north and south aisles, and a Morning Chapel. The Diocesan Society, out of consideration for the needs and peculiar circumstances of the parish, have now given a grant of £80 in addition to £200 formerly granted. Estimated cost, £1800. Applicant, Rev. A. E. Kinch; Architects, Messrs. J. E. K. & J. P. Cutts, London. —£45 voted.

13.—No. 9360.—Heeley, Christ Church, near Sheffield. Dio. York.—Deferred under Rule XXXIII.

14.—No. 9390.—Hurstbourne Tarrant, S. Peter, near Andover. Dio. Winchester.—This Church was built A.D. 1100, partially repaired in 1840, but is now very dilapidated, roof not weather-proof, nor safe. It is intended to repair the whole of the Church so far as funds from time to time will allow, but application is necessarily made in the first instance towards the flooring, which is damp, decayed, and unwholesome, and for the seating and part of the roofs only. The seats are unusually inconvenient and uncomfortable. Estimated cost, £1145. Applicant, Rev. F. H. Sumner; Architect, Mr. W. White, London.—£15 voted.

15.—No. 9374.—Kettering, SS. Peter and Paul. Dio. Peterborough.—This Church was built in the fifteenth century, In 1887 the tower and spire were substantially repaired. The seating will be reduced from 1006 to 927. To compensate

for the loss of accommodation consequent upon the restoration, an individual has undertaken at his sole cost to build a Mission Church in another part of the parish. A temporary Iron Church is already in course of erection, to be succeeded very shortly by a permanent building. The estimated cost is £8000. Applicant, Rev. Canon H. Lindsay; Architect, Sir A. W. Blomfield, London.—**£50** voted.

16.—No. 9372.—KINGSTONE, S. MICHAEL, near Tram Inn, R.S.O. Dio. Hereford. —It is not known when this Church was erected; but it was partially repaired forty years ago and is now very dilapidated, the seats are in such a condition that many of them are unfit for occupation. Estimated cost, £1155. Applicant, Rev. R. H. Bird; Architects, Messrs. Nicholson & Son, Hereford.—**£40** voted.

17.—No. 9365.—LAMYAT, SS. MARY AND JOHN. Dio Bath and Wells.—This Church was built A.D. 1485. It is proposed to complete the repairs of the fabric before commencing the seating, and to proceed with the latter as soon as funds will allow. Estimated cost, £332. Applicant, Rev. H. C. Guyon; Architect, Mr. C. S. Adye, Bradford-on-Avon.—**£10** voted.

18.—No. 9384.—LLANYBRI, HOLY TRINITY, near Llanstephan. Dio. S. David's. —This Church was built A.D. 1852, the building is in fair condition with the exception of the windows and chancel, which are in a bad state. The parish is an agricultural one and very poor. The S. David's Diocesan Church Building Board strongly recommend this application to the favourable consideration of the Church Building Society. Estimated cost, £509. Architect, Mr. E. H. L. Barker, Hereford.—**£15** voted.

19.—No. 9325.—RICKMANSWORTH, S. MARY MAGDALENE. Dio. S. Alban's.— This Church was rebuilt (except the tower) A.D. 1825, at a cost of £7000, assisted by a grant of £700 from this Society; the work was then so badly done that the building is in a ruinous condition. The reason for the reduction of seats is that very large galleries, which were in a great measure useless, are to be demolished, and the accommodation on the ground-floor will be increased by nearly 200 seats. Four district churches have been built in the parish since 1825, and the population has only slightly increased in that period. Estimated cost, £6837. Applicant, Rev. A. E. Northey; Architect, Sir A. W. Blomfield, London.—**£50** voted.

IV. MISSION BUILDINGS.

20.—M.B.F., No. 705.—ARPLEY ROAD, PENGE. Dio. Rochester.—Deferred.

21.—M.B.F., No. 686.—FURNACE, in the parish of Llanelly. Dio. S. David's.— Deferred.

22.—M.B.F., No. 714.—WINLATON, S. PAUL, near Blaydon-on-Tyne. Dio. Durham.—Deferred.

23.—M.B.F., No. 722.—CYMMER, S. JOHN, in the parish of Llangynwyd, near Bridgend. Dio. Llandaff.—Deferred.

24.—M.B.F., No. 724.—ELLERBY, in the parish of Swine, near Hull. Dio. York.—Deferred.

25.—M.B.F., No. 725.—PRATT'S BOTTOM, in the parish of Chelsfield. Dio. Canterbury.—Deferred.

26.—M.B.F., No. 729.—BRYNMAWR. Dio. S. David's.—Deferred.

27.—M.B.F., No. 726.—ELING, S. MARY, CHAPEL OF EASE, near Southampton, Dio. Winchester. This application is for aid towards purchasing and adapting a Presbyterian Chapel, for the use of a district of more than 2000 inhabitants, mostly poor, employed in fishing, manufacturing, &c. The Parish Church is a considerable distance from the main body of the parishioners. Estimated cost, £450. The building will hold 200. Applicant, Rev. J. Clarke.—**£30** voted.

28.—M.B.F., No. 732.—LOWER PLACE, THE GOOD SHEPHERD, in the parish of Harlesden. Dio. London.—Lower Place is an outlying hamlet in the parish of Harlesden, consisting almost entirely of weekly tenements, with a population for the most part employed in brickmaking and laundry work. The work of the Mission has been carried on for five years by an active staff of lay helpers in the ground-floor and back kitchen of a small cottage which afforded poor accommodation, but it was the best that could be had. The building will hold 200. Estimated cost, £400. Applicant, Rev. W. Irwin.—£25 voted.

29.—M.B.F., No. 728.—PENCARREG, S. JAMES, near Lampeter. Dio. S. David's. —Deferred.

Summary, arranged according to Dioceses:—

No. of Grants.	Diocese.	Amount.
3	London	£400
4	Winchester	240
1	Bath and Wells	10
1	Carlisle	20
1	Hereford	40
2	Lichfield	375
1	Peterborough	50
2	S. Alban's	95
2	Salisbury	35
1	S. David's	15
18	Total	£1280

These grants were voted from the several Funds as follows:—

16	General Fund	£1225
2	Mission Buildings Fund	55
18	Total	£1280

A MEETING of the Committee of the Society was held at the Offices of the Society, 7, Dean's Yard, Westminster Abbey, London, S.W., on Thursday, December the 19th, 1889, at 2 p.m.

Present—The Rev. C. F. NORMAN in the Chair.

Rev. Canon CAZENOVE.
Rev. C. ALFRED JONES.
Rev. C. WYATT-SMITH.
JOHN BOODLE, Esq.
Lieut.-Col. the Hon. G. H. W. WINDSOR-CLIVE.
JAMES HILTON, Esq.
ATHELSTAN RILEY, Esq.
Rev. R. MILBURN BLAKISTON, *Secretary*.

The available balances in hand were :—

General Fund	£1876	£2028
Mission Buildings Fund	152	
"R. M. Fund"		398
Hine Legacy		791

The Finance Report was prepared by the Rev. C. Alfred Jones, the Rev. George Miller, the Rev. C. Wyatt-Smith, and the Rev. R. Milburn Blakiston, Secretary.

The following applications were then considered and dealt with as stated :—

I. Building additional New Churches.

1.—No. 9108.—Ribbleton, S. Mary Magdalene, near Preston. Dio. Manchester.—Deferred under Rule XXXIII.

II. Rebuilding.

2.—No. 9394.—Plaistow, S. Mary. Dio. S. Alban's.—Deferred.

III. Enlarging or Reseating with Repairs.

3.—No. 9366.—Alkerton, S. Mary, near Banbury. Dio. Oxford.—This Church was built A.D. 1189. The building is very dilapidated, especially the woodwork; the roof is very rotten, and deal sittings are much broken. A miserable western gallery of common deal, accommodating 30 persons, is to be pulled down. Estimated cost, £1475. Applicant, Rev. B. J. Smith ; Architects, Messrs. Cossins & Peacock, Birmingham.—£30 voted.

4.—No. 9375.—Chiswick, S. Mary Magdalene. Dio. London.—This Church was built A.D. 1848. The population of Chiswick has risen from 7619 in 1881 to upwards of 10,000. In order to provide Church accommodation for this rapidly increasing population steps have been taken to form a District Parish to be served by the Church of S. Mary Magdalene. The Ecclesiastical Commissioners have promised an endowment of £200 per annum on condition that the Church be first enlarged so as to seat 500 persons, the cost of so doing will cost £3000. Applicant, Rev. H. F. Gipps ; Architects, Messrs. Newman & Newman, London.—£80 voted.

5.—No. 9312.—Brandesburton, S. Mary, near Hull. Dio. York.—Deferred under Rule XXXIII.

6.—No. 9360.—Heeley, Christ Church, near Sheffield. Dio. York.—Deferred under Rule XXXIII.

7.—No. 9380.—West Wickham, S. John Baptist, near Beckenham. Dio. Canterbury.—This Church was built in the fifteenth century, partially repaired in 1844. The walls are in good repair, what is needed is reseating and rearrangemen and a new organ chamber. Estimated cost, £803. Applicant, Rev. H. B. Roberts ; Architect, Mr. J. D. Sedding, London.—£25 voted.

IV. Mission Buildings.

8.—M.B.F., No. 705.—Arpley Road, Penge. Dio. Rochester.—This Hall, including freehold and fittings, cost £800. There will be a large room holding 300 for mission services and Sunday-schools, and several smaller rooms for parish purposes and for secular and religious instruction for men and women. The Bishop

of Rochester said that "this hall is not a luxury but an absolute necessity." Cost, £800.—Applicant, Rev. S. Hutchinson.—**£25** voted.

9.—M.B.F., No. 686.—FURNACE, in the parish of Llanelly. Dio. S. David's.—Deferred.

10.—M.B.F., No. 714.—WINLATON, S. PAUL'S, near Blaydon-on-Tyne. Dio. Durham.—Deferred.

11.—M.B.F., No. 722.—CYMMER, S. JOHN, in the parish of Llangynwyd, near Maesteg, Bridgend. Dio. Llandaff.—Divine Services have been conducted in the district for nearly two years; they are held in a club-room belonging to one of the hotels, but the room is unsuitable, inconvenient, and much too small. It will only accommodate about sixty persons, and is packed on Sundays. The need of a Mission Room is sadly felt. Estimated cost, £400; to hold 150 persons. Applicant, Rev. S. Jones.—**£20** voted.

12.—M.B.F., No. 724.—ELLERBY, in the parish of Swine, near Hull. Dio. York.—There are 344 inhabitants in the township of Ellerby; some of these reside from two, three, and four miles from the Parish Church. The building is to be fitted up specially for Divine Service. Estimated cost, £287; to hold 75 persons.—**£10** voted.

13.—M.B.F., No 725.—PRATT'S BOTTOM, in the parish of Chelsfield. Dio. Canterbury.—The district for which this Mission Church is intended contains a population of 400 persons. The nearest Church is distant two miles. Part of the building will be used for Parish Room, Library, &c. There will be a chancel. Estimated cost, £800; to accommodate 125 persons.—**£30** voted.

14.—M.B.F., No. 729.—BRYNMAWR. Dio. S. David's.—The district in which the intended new Mission Church is to be erected has a population of 2800 persons; the Parish Church is half a mile distant, it only has accommodation for 300, with a population of 6000. The S. David's Diocesan Church Building Board strongly recommend this case for a grant from the Mission Buildings Fund. Estimated cost, £250; to hold 200 persons. Applicant, Rev. Silas T. Phillips.—**£20** voted.

15.—M.B.F., No. 728.—PENCARREG, S. JAMES, near Lampeter. Dio. S. David's.—There are 651 inhabitants in the district where this Mission building is to be erected. The distance from the Parish Church is more than three miles. The S. David's Diocesan Church Building Board recommend the case of Pencarreg for a grant from the Mission Buildings Fund. Estimated cost, £441; to hold 130 persons. Applicant, Rev. D. D. Evans.—**£20** voted.

16.—M.B.F., No. 734.—KIRKSANTON, in the parish of Millom, near Carnforth. Dio. Carlisle.—The village of Kirksanton, where it is intended to build this Chapel of Ease, contains a population of 220, has existed for centuries. According to an old legend there was once a Chapel on the Village Green which was destroyed by an earthquake. Kirkstanton is three miles distant from the Parish Church of Millom. Estimated cost, £750; to hold 125 persons.—Applicant, Rev. J. Irving.—**£30** voted.

Summary, arranged according to Dioceses :—

No. of Grants.	Diocese.	Amount.
2	Canterbury	£55
1	Yorks	10
1	London	80
1	Carlisle	30

No. of Grants.	Diocese.	Amount.
1	Llandaff	20
1	Oxford	30
1	Rochester	25
2	S. David's	40
10	Total	£290

These grants were voted from the several Funds as follows :—

3	General Fund	£135
7	Mission Buildings Fund	155
10	Total	£290

Decease of the late Lord Addington.

At the November Meeting of the Committee the following Resolutions were proposed from the chair and carried unanimously.

Resolved—I. That the Committee of the Incorporated Church Building Society take the opportunity of their first Meeting after the Vacation to record their sense of the loss which the Society has sustained by the decease on August 28th, in his eightieth year, of the Right Hon. Baron Addington. He had been a subscriber to the Society for the last forty years, became a member of the Committee in 1859, and a Vice-President in 1869, thus, as also in other ways both public and private, showing his continued and increasing interest and confidence in the Society's operations. His latest attendances at this Committee, not long before his decease, especially related to the action of the Inland Revenue Department in refusing their long-accustomed repayment of Income Tax on the charitable funds of the Society. In this important matter the Committee had not only the great advantage of Lord Addington's full knowledge of the subject, but further of his liberal promise of indemnity against costs in the event of the Committee being involved in legal proceedings in connection with the subject. The

Committee feel that, while regretting their own loss in Lord Addington's departure from this life, they share it in common with the many societies and institutions which have long profited by his influence and generosity as a devout and earnest member of the Church of England.

It was further resolved—II. That a copy of the foregoing Resolution be forwarded to the present Lord Addington and to the Dowager Lady Addington, with the expression of the Committee's sincere condolence with them and the whole family in their recent bereavement.

It was further resolved—III. That the Right Hon. Lord Addington be invited to accept the vacant post of Vice-President of the Society so long filled by the late Lord Addington.

We have much pleasure in stating that Lord Addington has written to express his willingness to comply with the wish of the Committee.

Other recent vacancies in the list of Vice-Presidents have been filled up by the appointment of the Duke of Newcastle, Lord Clinton, and Mr. Henry Hucks Gibbs.

Mission Buildings Trust Deeds.

THE Committee of the Society, at their meeting on December 19, 1889, passed the three Resolutions on the subject of Mission Buildings Trust Deeds, which are printed below, and ordered copies of them to be sent to all the Bishops and Archdeacons of Dioceses in England and Wales, together with the memorandum and skeleton form of conveyance, prepared by Messrs. Crawley, Arnold and Co., Honorary Solicitors of the Society, which are also printed in full in the following pages.

RESOLUTIONS.

1. That, having considered the present state of the law on the subject, the Committee are of opinion that Conveyances of Land or Buildings, to be used for the combined object of public worship and the purposes for which Mission Buildings are usually required, cannot be safely taken under any of the statutes relating to Schools and Places of Public Worship, but should be made good as Conveyances to Charitable uses in conformity with the Laws relating to such Conveyances.

2. That it would be desirable, if possible, that in each Diocese a body of Trustees, with perpetual succession, should be constituted, to whom such Conveyances could be made, and that all such Conveyances, whether made to such a Diocesan body of Trustees or otherwise, should be registered in the Diocesan Registry under the authority of the Bishop.

3. That, inasmuch as it appears that the Trustees of any Diocesan Charity having such objects in view can be incorporated by the Charity Commissioners in like manner as has been done in the case of the Trustees of the Bishop of London's Fund, it may be desirable that a similar course be pursued in other Dioceses.

MEMORANDUM.

It is desired to know what is the best form of Conveyance (for Churchmen) of buildings or lands to be occupied by buildings not wholly intended for purposes of Public Worship, but partly for those purposes, and partly for the many Meetings, Classes, &c., connected with what may be called the Mission Work of a Parish.

The difficulty is that the various Statutes permitting the Conveyance of Land for like purposes do not deal with Conveyances for such combined objects.

There are, on the one side, the Statutes enabling solely Conveyances of Churches and Chapels proper, namely—the Church Buildings Acts, open only to Churchmen, and the recent Places of Worship Sites' Act, and its Amending Act, common to the Church and to the Nonconformists. On the other hand, there are the series of Acts known as the School Sites' Acts, enabling only the Conveyance of land and buildings for the purposes of the Education of Poor Persons, leaving purposes of Worship or general parochial usefulness untouched.

The Conveniences and Inconveniences of these several Acts (taking the 43 Geo. III., c. 108, Sect. 1, as the Church Building Act which would be used) may be summed up as follows—

43 GEO. III., c. 108.

Conveniences.—permits the Conveyance of the site to any Body politic, or corporate.
—contains no clause avoiding the Conveyance if service is discontinued for a time.

Inconveniences.—The Deed requires the concurrence of the Ordinary.
—will be avoided (unless made for valuable consideration) if Grantor dies within three months.
—must be strictly for a Church or Chapel.
—must be enrolled within six months.
—The Act contains no provision for a grant by a person under disability, e.g. a tenant for life.

PLACES OF WORSHIP SITES' ACT.

Conveniences.—enables a tenant for life &c., to convey.
—does not require concurrence of Ordinary.
—Deed will not be avoided by death of Grantor within twelve months after the execution of it.

Inconveniences.—contains no power of Conveyance to a Body Corporate, except the permission given to make the Ecclesiastical Commissioners the Trustees of the site.

—contains clauses (on the effect of which there is as yet no Judicial decision) involving the loss of the property :—

(*a*) if the land be used for any other purpose than that of a site for a place of worship.

(*b*) if service be discontinued in the place of worship for one year.

—may give difficulty as to consecration if the Mission Room becomes a Church owing to possible reversion to profane uses on the temporary discontinuance of services.

SCHOOL SITES' ACTS.

Conveniences.—enable tenants for life, &c., to convey.

—permit Conveyances to Bodies Corporate and provide in effect that the Minister and Churchwardens shall be a Corporation with perpetual succession for the purposes of these Acts (it is too often erroneously supposed that they are a Corporation by the Common Law).

Inconveniences.—contain clauses involving the loss of the property if used for other purposes than those of Education.

—require enrolment of Deeds.

It will be seen that there is not much to choose between these Acts—the first implies the use of the property for Public Worship only—the second directly provides for its loss if it be used otherwise—the Acts thirdly mentioned provide for the loss of the property, if it be used for purposes other than those of education.

In the absence of Judicial decision no one can, at present, exactly say what kind of use for other purposes would cause the loss of property conveyed under these Statutes, e.g.—would a School be lost if the Ordinary licensed it for Sunday services? Would a place of Worship be lost if school classes and club and other meetings were held in it on all weekdays?

No one can safely pronounce on this. All that can be said is, that it is possible that courts of Law might take a liberal view, and consider the Conveyance under Statute not prejudiced so long as the other matters carried on upon the site were not essentially inconsistent with the statutory purposes, e.g.—that Classes for instruction in religion might be held in a Building conveyed as a Place of Worship, and that even the semi-social Meetings so usual among Nonconformists might be held in a Building conveyed for a Dissenting Chapel.

This, however, is little more than conjecture, and it would seem that the safest course is to make a Conveyance to individual Trustees which will be good according to the Ordinary Law of Mortmain as a Charitable Conveyance, the only real objection to this being that if the Conveyance be a gift, without price paid, it will fail if the Grantor dies within twelve months.[1] A form of such Conveyance was settled for the Parish of Staines, and has been known as the Staines Form—a specimen of this form is appended. It should perhaps be amended by adding a power, to be used

[1] The difficulty here referred to would be overcome if in every case the conveyance were made for full and valuable (not merely nominal) consideration.

if a Consecrated Church is eventually built on the land, to revoke the trusts and convey the land and building for the purposes of a Church to any person or body lawfully authorized to accept such Conveyance.

If the difficulty of the possible death of the Grantor within twelve months of the grant and the consequent objection to spending any considerable sum upon the site during a period of twelve months prevents the adoption of the last-mentioned Form, there seems little to choose between the Acts previously discussed, but perhaps the safest Act among them for Church people is, after all, the 43 George III., c. 108, which allows of Conveyance to a Corporation, and has no clause avoiding the Conveyance for mistaken or wrongful user. A Conveyance could be taken under it to a Corporation with perpetual succession, and a temporary room put upon the land pending the getting up of Funds for a Church or Chapel, all being done with consent of the Ordinary.

CRAWLEY, ARNOLD & CO.,
20, WHITEHALL PLACE.

This Indenture made the

day of one thousand eight hundred and

This Deed must be enrolled as it is in all the respects subject to the Mortmain and Charitable Uses Act 1888.

BETWEEN
of in the County of
(hereinafter called the Grantor) of the one part and
(hereinafter collectively called "the Trustees") of the other part WITNESSETH that the said Grantor as Beneficial Owner doth hereby freely and voluntarily and without any valuable consideration grant and convey unto the Trustees their heirs and assigns ALL that

situate at in the parish of
in the County of which said
delineated and coloured pink in the map or plan drawn in the margin of these presents TOGETHER with the appurtenances TO HAVE and TO HOLD the said
hereditaments and premises hereinbefore expressed to be hereby granted unto and to the use of the Trustees their heirs and assigns UPON TRUST to permit the same and all or any buildings or building which now are or may hereafter be erected on the said premises or any part thereof to be used by the †
for the time being of the Parish of aforesaid
(hereinafter referred to as "the † ") or
during his absence or disability or the avoidance of his Benefice by the Officiating Minister for the time being of the Parish of
aforesaid or by the Nominees or Licensees of the †
or such Officiating Minister as aforesaid as the case may be for all or any of the purposes following that is to say—

† Rector or Vicar as the case may be.

1. FOR the celebration of Divine Service in accordance with the rites and ceremonies of the Church of England as by law established

2. AS a school or schools for the education of children and adults or children only of the labouring manufacturing and other poorer classes in the Parish of aforesaid

3. AS a residence or residences for a Teacher or Teachers of the said school or schools

4. AS a class-room meeting-room or lecture-room for Confirmation or Communicants' Classes or for other religious instruction or for secular instruction

5. AS a place of meeting for Clerical Meetings for Social Conferences of the Clergy for District Visitors for committees of any Societies for the promotion of any religious philanthropic charitable or benevolent purpose and for meetings to be called in aid or for the benefit of any such Societies

6. FOR any other meetings or for any other objects ends or purposes having in view the spiritual intellectual moral or social wants of the neighbouring population which the †
or such Officiating Minister as aforesaid as the case may be may think proper

† Rector or Vicar as the case may be.

PROVIDED ALWAYS AND IT IS HEREBY DECLARED that the said premises and the buildings at any time standing thereon shall not be used for any purpose whatsoever which may be inimical to the welfare of the Church of England as now by law established or contrary to the principles of the said Church AND IT IS HEREBY FURTHER DECLARED that subject to the proviso and declaration hereinbefore contained the said premises and any such buildings or building as aforesaid shall be in all respects under the sole management and control of the † or of such Officiating Minister as aforesaid as the case may be (Subject always to the visiting power hereinafter given to the Bishop of the Diocese or the Ordinary for the time being of the said Benefice) and such †
or Officiating Minister shall from time to time direct for what purpose or purposes and in what manner the same shall be used AND any school or schools which may be held on the said premises and the education and instruction to be given therein shall be under such sole management and control of the †
or of such Officiating Minister as aforesaid as the case may be who shall select appoint and at his pleasure dismiss the Teacher or Teachers of the said school or schools with this reservation namely that no person shall be appointed to be a Teacher who is not *bonâ fide* a Member of the Church of England AND IT IS HEREBY AGREED AND DECLARED that it shall be lawful for the Trustees their heirs or assigns if they should think it desirable to alienate and sell or exchange the said hereditaments and premises hereinbefore expressed to be hereby granted and conveyed or any part thereof and to receive any money for equality of exchange and to apply the money arising from such sale or given on such exchange in the purchase of other premises or in the improvement of any premises used or to be used for the purposes of this trust PROVIDED ALWAYS that no such alienation shall be made without the consent in writing of the Bishop of the Diocese for the time being or other the said Ordinary AND IT IS

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HEREBY AGREED that the power of appointing a new Trustee or new Trustees of these presents shall be exercisable by the †
and upon any such appointment the number of Trustees may be augmented or reduced PROVIDED ALWAYS AND IT IS HEREBY DECLARED that the Bishop of
for the time being of the Diocese wherein the said Parish is situated or other the Ordinary of the Benefice of shall have the powers of a visitor over the trust premises and over the management and control thereof and the said †
or Officiating Minister as aforesaid shall in all things whatsoever pertaining to the said trust observe and carry out all directions or orders from time to time made or to be made by the said Bishop or such other Ordinary as aforesaid IN WITNESS whereof the said parties to these presents have hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year first above written

† Rector or Vicar as the case may be.

S. James' Church, Normanton-on-Soar, Notts.

THIS ancient and interesting Church has just been renovated in accordance with plans prepared by Mr. W. Samuel Weatherley, architect. It is cruciform, with a central tower and a very graceful broach spire, and stands picturesquely on a bank overlooking the River Soar. The earliest record states that the patronage of the Church was transferred in the year 1200 A.D. to the Prior and Convent of Durham, who presented down to 1546. The arches supporting the tower are very fine, with square Norman bases, but chamfered above (perhaps this is later work). They have the Norman bend, and on the south side the nail-head ornament. Three of these arches were blocked until the restoration, and the altar was hidden from the congregation, and it is wonderful what an improvement has been effected by opening out the Church. The altar is now plainly seen, being well raised, and has been brought forward in the chancel, the choir stalls being placed under the central tower. The north transept, completing the original design, has now been added, and access is obtained to the belfry by a newel staircase which enters the tower by the Norman arch originally left for the purpose. When the ivy was removed, half of the nave wall on the north side proved very interesting Norman work, the alternate courses of flat and larger stones indicating its Norman origin. This was leaning out ten inches, but has been success-

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fully put upright. A striking feature in the Church is the great west window of five lancets, which was blocked to about half its size, but has now been re-opened. The east window is a fine thirteenth-century window of four lancets ; but side jambs exist of an earlier and larger window, which probably corresponded with the west window. The chancel has three single lancets on each side, and underneath them outside is a double string-course, date 1150, and there is a low side window or lychnoscope on the south side, date about 1370. The original stone altar-slab was discovered buried in the nave. It is marked with five crosses, and measures about five feet by three. It has three bevelled edges, being probably built at the back into the wall of the super-altar. There is a double aumbry in the east wall, immediately under the east window; so that the altar probably stood a little in advance of the east wall. A credence and piscina of Norman design are in the south wall, though the piscina is not in the original position. An aumbry is opposite in the north wall. There is a fine flat roof of oak in the nave, supported by a brick clerestory, on the original walls. This has not now been interfered with, but the angle of the old high-pitch roof is distinctly marked on the tower. The inclination of the chancel from the central line of the nave, symbolizing the Bowing of the Sacred Head, is southward and well-marked, but still graceful. Possibly this explains why the pillars on the south side are ornamented, but the northern ones are bare. The new choir stalls are of handsomely carved oak and much admired. The porch door is a fine early English door, with some good old ironwork with spider-like claws. There are two Norman doorways on the north. The acoustic properties of the Church were rather feared for, as the tower arches are low, but it proves a remarkably good building for sound. A light wooden ceiling under the tower is considered to contribute much to the excellent diffusion of sound. About £2050 have been raised and expended in the restoration, but a new peal of bells is sadly wanted, three out of four being cracked. Messrs. Taylor's estimate for this is £96. Many other fittings are urgently needed, especially for the chancel and altar ; but it has been determined not to incur debt, and offerings would be gratefully received by the Rector, the Rev. O. Orton.

Miscellanea.

Lambeth Palace Library.

For some time past, a collection of Pamphlets on the Parochial, Monastic, and Architectural History of England has been formed. The pamphlets, when of sufficient number, are bound and arranged under counties, so that reference can be had to them immediately, and the series is intended to be a special and new feature of this valuable Library. Critical research into original documents has caused many parish histories to be re-written, and past inaccuracies have been corrected. The annals of our famed conventual buildings are sometimes found only in pamphlet form. To preserve such record this collection has been made. Contributions are asked from authors or archæological societies, or those who possess duplicate copies.

The Library is open daily (Saturdays excepted) from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., and it seems little known that under certain conditions modern books are lent to residents in the parishes of Lambeth, Westminster, and Southwark.

Reviews, Notices, &c.

A Dissertation upon Unauthoritative Tradition, by Dr. E. Hawkins (late Provost of Oriel). Published by the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge. This dissertation on the value of unauthoritative tradition in strengthening and accentuating the less emphatic portions of the Holy Scriptures, deserves some study, if only because it deals with one of the burning questions of the day. Perhaps few things are more difficult to determine than is the precise degree of respect that should be paid to such tradition. As Dr. Hawkins points out, the tendency of the Roman Catholic Church is to unduly exalt it, while that of the Lutherans and others is to ignore it. It therefore remained for the Church of England to determine its true importance.

The remainder of the volume is devoted to extracts from Dr. Hawkins' Bampton Lectures illustrative of the principles advocated by his dissertation. The S.P.C.K. has done well in issuing this publication.

Christianity in Relation to Science and Morals, by Canon Malcolm MacColl, M.A. (Rivingtons). This book consists of a course of twelve lectures delivered at Ripon, each lecture dealing with one Article of the Nicene Creed. This attempt to reconcile Christianity to Science and Morals is well-intentioned, but can hardly be said to have succeeded. In his anxiety to do justice to Science, Mr. MacColl has treated Christianity somewhat cavalierly, and Morals are left entirely in the background. Much is conjectured, and of course, given a certain amount of conjecture, most questions may be settled out of hand. Especially is this the case in the lecture on the miraculous Conception and Birth of Christ (see Lecture vi., "Christ's Miraculous Conception no Violation of Natural Law"). Still there is much of interest contained in the book, and the evident desire of the author to meet scientific objections half-way in all reasonable demands deserves commendation. Many of his arguments are telling, and as his weaknesses seem chiefly to proceed from his great desire to

effect an union between Church and Science, it is not difficult to pardon them and him.

Footprints of the Son of Man as traced by S. Mark, by Canon Herbert M. Luckock, D.D. (Rivingtons). It is not too much to say that Mr. Luckock's book is beyond praise. Designed for three purposes, "private study, family reading, and instruction in Church," it may be heartily recommended for all of them. The interest of the reader is never allowed to flag, and his curiosity is stimulated by the many references to the Talmud and Mishnah as illustrating the Gospel record, which form no slight addition to the value of the work. It may be confidently predicted that Mr. Luckock's promised book on the Acts of the Holy Apostles will be eagerly looked for by all who have read this present volume, which we are glad to see in a new edition and in a cheaper form.

The Faith of the Gospel, by A. J. Mason, B.D. (Rivingtons). In these days, when most people believe infidelity and schism of all kinds to be on the increase, it is cheering to find that a third edition of such a book as this of Canon Mason's is so soon called for. And its popularity is deserved; for it is an eminently thoughtful work, conveying the impression that every word has been thoroughly weighed and pondered over before being committed to paper. The result is a collection of clear and simple essays on various important Church questions, which may be profitably studied by all, and which is likely to help many anxious seekers after truth.

A great point in favour of the book is the careful indexing, and Mr. Kitchingman must be congratulated on his painstaking and laborious compilation of the index to the Scripture references, a most material addition to the value of the work and one which merits high praise.

The Ecclesiology of Gottland and the Churches of Bornholm, by Major Alfred Heales, F.S.A. (Roworth and Co.). All who are in any degree interested in Church architecture would cordially welcome this book, even were it not enriched by photographs of the various peculiarities of the Churches it describes. Thanks to the clear style in which Major Heales has written, his work may also be enjoyed by people who are totally ignorant of ecclesiology; while it suggests a fresh field of work for those who have already studied the subject and who possess the will and the time to increase their knowledge.

Consolatio, edited by the late Rev. C. E. Kennaway (Rivingtons). "He that lacks time to mourn, lacks time to mend;" but that is not all. There are many ways of mourning, and it is important for us to be taught how to mourn aright. How often, when reflection has been forced upon us by a long illness or any other cause, when old, half-forgotten, never really repented of sins rise up before us, and time is given us to mourn, do we find ourselves unable to profit by it as fully as we should, and so lose the blessings that are waiting for us. In such cases this book, compiled by one who suffered much and long, is a valuable assistant, as the earlier editions have already proved. This volume is a convenient size to hold, and is light.

The Life of Justification, by the Rev. George Body, D.D. (Rivingtons). It is announced in the preface that the object of this small volume of lectures is "to present the Sacramental and Evangelical aspects of Catholicism in their true unity." Beyond this, little remains to be said of the book. It appeals to the emotional side of religion: in spite of this, or perhaps on that very account, it will attract and urge forward many people in whose souls a colder and more argumentative style would awaken no response.

The Life of Temptation, by the Rev. George Body, D.D. (Rivingtons). This book forms a companion to the above. It consists of four lectures relating to the object,

rationale, and uses of temptation, particularly in regard to its powers of training and bracing the soul. The duty of hopefulness is specially inculcated, and a few warning words written concerning the fashionable unorthodoxy of the day. Altogether, the little volume should prove sufficiently attractive to ensure the careful reading it deserves.

Counsels of Hope, selected by the Rev. H. M. Neville (Rivingtons). This book is designed for the use of invalids, who, though not strong enough to endure a lengthened reading, may yet find comfort in the collection of short extracts (poetry as well as prose) which it contains. The selection has been made with much care from the writings of devout men, and ancient as well as modern authors have been laid under contribution, though the latter predominate. The whole forms a very charming book, and can be confidently recommended as thoroughly suited for the purpose for which it is intended.

Oxford House Papers, Second Series (Rivingtons). Though it is announced on the title-page that these papers were written "by members of the University of Oxford for working-men," others who are not working-men in the ordinary sense of the term may read them with equal pleasure and profit. All the papers are most attractive, and it will probably prove safe to predict that all who have read the first series will be ready to welcome the second.

Introduction to the Devout Life (The English Catholic's Library), by S. Francis de Sales. A new translation (published by Rivingtons). The Spiritual Library for English Catholics is likely to prove a boon indeed, if it contains many such gems as this book written by the Bishop and Prince of Geneva for the spiritual counsel and assistance of a member of his flock. Though composed in the early part of the seventeenth century it contains much excellent advice and many lessons which we, who live in the latter portion of the nineteenth, would do well to take to heart; while the sound practical common sense, mingled with most exalted piety therein contained, might, together with the purity of style, be imitated with advantage by many writers of the present day.

Of the Love of God, translated by H. L. Sidney Lear from S. Francis de Sales. (Rivingtons). Mrs. Sidney Lear's translation of this exquisite book is a great boon to all who have not the opportunity of reading the original. The deeply devotional and fervent spirit in which it is written, and the many beautiful legends with which it is interspersed, are well calculated to make a profound impression on the mind of any cultured person.

The Confessions of S. Augustine, translated and edited by the Rev. W. H. Hutchings, M.A. (Rivingtons). This delightful little translation can hardly fail to recommend itself to all who come across it. The style is simplicity itself, and the wonderful *naïveté* and quaintness which pervade the original are well preserved. Mr. Hutchings has performed his work in such a manner as to leave no doubt that it has been to him a labour of love, and he deserves the hearty thanks of all book-lovers for the admirable way in which he has acquitted himself of his somewhat delicate task.

Of the Imitation of Christ, by Thomas à Kempis. A new translation (Rivingtons). To express any opinion on the merits of so well known a book as the "Imitation" would be entirely superfluous. Suffice it to say that the present translation bears all the signs of careful work, and ought to become popular.

The Spiritual Combat, by Laurence Scupoli. A new translation. Together with the Supplement and the "Path of Paradise," the "Spiritual Combat" is perhaps the least known of the books of the English Catholic's Library, but it is one of considerable value as a devotional treatise.

Quarterly List of Amounts received, from all Sources, in aid of the Church Building Society.

*** The letter *O* denotes Offertory or Collection; *M*, Meeting; *S*, Subscription; *D*, Donation; *L*, Legacy; *A*, Association remittance; *I*, Interest or Dividends; **M.B.F.**, for Mission Buildings Fund.

1889.		**Office List.**			
Oct.	12	Office Box (M.B.F.) *D*	£2	6	7
	25	Church Builder	5	8	3
	29	Income Tax returned	20	17	10
Nov.	7	Church Builder	55	3	6
	8	Office Box (M.B.F.) *D*	1	15	5
	9	Anon. ..... *D*	0	2	6
	11	Anon. ..... *D*	0	5	0
	30	Benyon, Richard, Esq. ..... *D*	100	0	0
Dec.	7	Dent, W. S., Esq. ... *D*	15	0	0
		Ditto (M.B.F.) *D*	15	0	0
	15	Hoare, Messrs.	25	0	0
	17	Anonymous, per Edward Thornton, Esq. (M.B.F.) ... *D*	50	0	0
	23	Mercers, The Worshipful Company of *D*	100	0	0
	27	Prescott, H. W., Esq. (M.B.F.) ..... *D*	100	0	0
	31	Church Builder	0	19	6
		Previously acknowledged	1653	19	6
			2145	18	1

Canterbury.

Oct.	4	Nutt, Rev. J. W. (for 1888-9) ..... *S*	1	1	0
	8	Bilsington ..... *O*	1	5	0
Nov.	4	Ramsgate, S. Paul *O*	4	0	1
	11	Clark, F. Le Gros, Esq. ..... *D*	1	0	0
	13	Hay, Mrs. ..... *S*	0	10	0
	14	Canterbury, The Lord Archbishop of ... *S*	3	3	0
		Selwyn, Rev. E. J. (M.B.F.) ..... *S*	1	1	0
Dec.	2	Anderdon, The Misses (for 1889-90) ... *S*	6	0	0
	6	Charrington, Thos., Esq. ..... *S*	1	1	0
	7	Cornwallis, F.S.W., Esq. ..... *S*	1	1	0
	10	Eyre, Mrs. F. ..... *D*	5	0	0
	18	Austen, Mrs. (M.B.F.) *S*	1	1	0
	23	Watson, Major C.E. *S*	1	1	0
	30	Croydon, S. Augustine *O*	0	6	10
		Jones, R. H., Esq. (M.B.F.) ..... *S*	1	1	0

1889.		**Canterbury** (*continued*).			
Dec.	31	Lewis, Rev. G. B. (for 1889-90) ..... *S*	£2	2	0
		Atkins, T. F. B., Esq. (M.B.F.) ..... *S*	1	1	0
		Previously acknowledged ...	110	3	0
			141	17	11

York.

Oct.	5	Hull, S. Philip ..... *O*	£1	14	5
Nov.	1	Hambleton ..... *O*	1	14	7
	20	Farlington ..... *O*	0	11	9
Dec.	6	Romanby ..... *O*	0	13	0
		Previously acknowledged ...	20	18	10
			25	12	7

London.

Sept.	28	Turnham Green, Christ Church ... *O*	1	1	9
Oct.	7	West Kensington, S. Andrew ..... *O*	3	2	7
	12	Ealing Common, S. Matthew ..... *O*	2	13	0
	15	Burnett, F. W., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
	17	Cossart, Mrs. ..... *S*	0	10	0
Nov.	5	Stamford Hill, S. John *O*	0	11	11
	9	Browne, Rev. J. (M.B.F.) ..... *D*	10	10	0
		Hammersmith, S. Paul ..... *O*	4	1	9
	15	Blomfield, Sir A. W. *S*	5	0	0
		Nesbitt, A. J., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
		Clay, Messrs. Richard and Sons ..... *S*	1	1	0
		Fitton, Miss M. ... *S*	1	0	0
	18	Ingram, Rev. Preb. *S*	1	1	0
		Ingram, Master A. R. *S*	0	5	0
		Jackson, G. H. Esq. *S*	1	1	0
		Cochrane, Mrs. ... *S*	0	2	0
		Hackney, S. John *O*	2	11	4
	30	Small, Rev. R. ... *S*	1	0	0
		Motion, A., Esq. ... *S*	1	1	0
		Perry, Rev. G. ..... *S*	1	1	0
		Christian, Ewan, Esq. *S*	1	1	0
Dec.	6	Jackson, G. H., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
		Dartmouth, The Rt. Hon. Earl of ..... *S*	25	0	0
	10	Jemmett, Rev. J. F. *S*	1	1	0

1889. **London** (*continued.*)

Dec.	10	Luke, Rev. W. H. C. *S*	£1	1 0
	11	Kingsbury, S. Andrew ..... *O*	0	12 10
		Boodle, John, Esq. *S*	1	1 0
		Bishop, Miss ..... *D*	5	0 0
	12	Beckwith, T. P., Esq. *S*	2	0 0
		Price, H. Rokeby, Esq. ..... *D*	1	1 0
	18	Vialls, G. Esq. ..... *S*	1	1 0
	19	Rogers, H. M., Esq. (M.B.F.) ..... *S*	0	5 0
	20	Macarthur, Rev. J. *S*	1	1 0
		Hilliard, Rev. E. S. *S*	0	10 6
		Cutts, Rev. E. L., D D. ..... *S*	1	1 0
		Corrie, Miss (M.B.F.) *D*	2	0 0
	27	Rooke, F. H., Esq. (M.B.F.) ..... *D*	10	10 0
		Holman, W. H., Esq. (M.B.F.) ..... *S*	1	1 0
	31	Lothbury, S. Margaret ..... *O*	4	13 3
		Chater, Rev. W. S. (for 1890) ..... *S*	1	1 0
		Previously acknowledged ...	278	16 1
			380	15 0

Durham.

Oct.	18	Heworth, S. Alban *O*	1	0 0
	29	Durham Diocesan Society ..... *A*	50	0 0
		Benfieldside, S. Cuthbert ..... *O*	2	2 5
Nov.	14	Tudhoe Grange (for 1888-90) ..... *O*	1	19 5
		Stockton, S. Paul *O*	1	10 0
Dec.	11	Stockton, S. Peter *O*	3	8 5
	28	Cook, Rev. Canon *S*	1	1 0
		Previously acknowledged ...	22	1 5
			83	2 8

Winchester.

Oct.	4	Elstead ..... *O*	1	16 0
	18	Trotter, Rev. H. E. (for 1888-89-90) *S*	4	4 0
Nov.	2	Ward, E., Esq. ... *S*	1	1 0
	7	Durst, Rev. Canon *S*	1	1 0
	26	Houghton..... *O*	0	11 0
		Winchester, the Lord Bishop of ..... *S*	5	0 0
Dec.	3	Emery Down ..... *O*	0	16 5
	6	Guildford, The Lord Bishop of ..... *S*	2	2 0
	7	Druitt, James, Esq. (for 1888-89-90) *S*	3	3 0

1889. **Winchester** (*continued.*

Dec.	7	Charlesworth, Rev. J. R. ..... *S*	£1	1 0
	10	Freshwater ..... *O*	3	3 0
		Lee, Rev. Canon ... *S*	1	1 0
	11	Hawkins, Dr. Bissett *S*	2	2 0
		Hewson, Mrs. ..... *S*	2	2 0
		Southsea, S. Bartholomew ..... *O*	3	0 0
		Pyper, Rev. J..... *D*	1	0 0
	31	Ripley ..... *O*	0	18 0
		Previously acknowledged ...	102	18 4
			136	19 9

Bangor.

Oct.	8	Criccieth ..... *O*	1	19 1
Nov.	15	Bangor, The Lord Bishop of ..... *S*	2	2 0
	25	Dolwyddelen ..... *O*	0	10 0
Dec.	2	Llanfair-is-gaer ... *O*	2	3 10
	11	Jones, Miss ..... *D*	10	0 0
	23	Bangor Diocesan... *A*	10	6 2
	31	Pwllheli..... *O*	1	10 9
			28	11 10

Bath and Wells.

Nov.	11	Staple, Fitzpaine ... *O*	1	4 0
	3	Bath and Wells, The Lord Bishop of (M.B.F.)..... *D*	2	2 0
	4	Caparn, Rev. W.B. *S*	1	1 0
	17	Mapleton, Rev. H. M. *S*	1	1 0
	20	Wedmore .. .. *O*	1	0 0
		Previously acknowledged...	138	5 1
			144	13 1

Carlisle.

Nov.	7	Aikton ..... *O*	0	12 0
		Hasell, Rev. G.E. and Mrs. ..... *S*	1	1 0
		Ditto, Moiety of fees *D*	0	7 0
		Previously acknowledged ...	9	11 3
			11	11 3

Chester.

Oct.	7	Romiley, S. Chad.. *O*	5	0 0
	19	Macclesfield, S. John *O*	0	19 0
Nov.	2	Chester, S. Oswald *O*	4	2 0
	29	Birkenhead, S. Peter *O*	1	8 0
Dec.	27	Allen, Rev. A. J. C. *S*	1	1 0
	30	Miller, Rev. J. R. C. *S*	1	1 0
		Bell, H. Esq., Jun. *S*	1	1 0
	31	Coppenhall ..... *O*	2	5 0
		Previously acknowledged ...	24	0 8
			40	17 8

1889.		Chichester.			
Sept.	30	New Shoreham ..*O*	£3	0	0
Oct.	4	Hove, S. Barnabas *O*	4	6	4
	7	Hurstpierpoint .....*O*	3	0	0
	29	Bexhill, S. Mark ...*O*	3	7	10
		Ebsworth, Rev. G. S. *S*	2	2	0
Nov.	1	Eastbourne, S. Anne *O*	2	16	2
	7	Jones, J. W., Esq. (M.B.F.) .....*S*	0	10	0
	13	Tangmere.....*O*	0	10	0
	14	Brydone, H. E., Esq. (M.B.F.) .....*S*	1	1	0
	15	Haweis, Rev. Canon J. O. W. .....*S*	1	1	0
	27	Lee Warner, Rev. J.*S*	1	0	0
Dec.	18	Ingram, Rev. H. M. (M.B.F.) .....*S*	1	1	0
	20	Crake, Mrs. (M.B.F.) *S*	2	2	0
		Previously acknowledged...	113	0	4
			138	17	8

		Ely.			
Nov.	3	Letchworth, Miss E. (M.B.F.) .....*S*	1	0	0
Dec.	21	Marshall, Rev. F. C. (1888-89) .....*S*	0	10	0
	27	Hill, Rev. E. .....*S*	1	1	0
		Previously acknowledged ...	39	14	5
			42	5	5

		Exeter.			
Nov.	12	Littleham with Exmouth .....*O*	1	1	0
	22	Goodlad, The Misses *S*	1	1	0
	30	Lower Brixham, All Saints.....*O*	2	0	0
Dec.	4	Champernowne, Rev. W. .....*S*	1	1	0
	11	Marldon .....*O*	0	10	8
	12	Sterry, Rev. F.....*S*	1	1	0
	17	Rockbeare.....*O*	1	17	0
	18	Paignton, S. John...*O*	1	10	4
	19	Farmer, Miss (M.B.F.) *S*	5	0	0
	31	Exbourne .....*O*	0	14	0
		Exeter, The Lord Bishop of .....*S*	5	0	0
		Bickington .....*O*	2	8	1
		E. .....*S*	0	10	0
		Smith, Rev. W. ...*S*	2	2	0
		Leusden .....*O*	0	9	3
		Ashburton.....*A*	1	3	8
		Ditto. .....*O*	1	13	10
		Birch, Rev. W.....*S*	0	10	6

1889.		Exeter (*continued*).			
		Firth, H. M., Esq...*S*	£0	10	6
		Previously acknowledged ...	48	10	1
			78	13	11

		Gloucester and Bristol.			
Sept.	30	Butterworth, Rev. G. *S*	1	1	0
Oct.	9	Madan, Rev. Canon *S*	1	1	0
	24	Bream .....*O*	0	12	6
Nov.	2	Ireland, J. C. C., Esq. *S*	2	2	0
	22	Hedley, Mrs. .....*S*	1	1	0
Dec.	3	Clifford's Mesne ...*O*	0	12	0
		Gloucester, S. Paul *O*	1	3	2
	4	Booker, R. A., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
	10	Brown-Wylde, Miss H. (1890)..... *S*	1	0	0
	19	Mairis, Rev. H. E. H. (M.B.F.).....*D*	0	2	6
	27	Woolcott Park, S. Saviour .....*O*	5	13	7
		Previously acknowledged ...	41	17	3
			57	7	0

		Hereford.			
Oct.	15	Weston Beggard ...*O*	0	10	4
Nov.	2	Hereford Cathedral *O*	10	0	6
Dec.	2	Hereford, The Lord Bishop of .....*S*	2	0	0
		Dickerson, Rev. R. C. *D*	5	0	0
	14	Morgan, Rev. H. G. (1888-9) .....*S*	2	2	0
	17	Burrough, Rev. C. (M.B.F.) .....*S*	1	1	0
		Previously acknowledged ...	31	10	7
			52	4	5

		Lichfield.			
Sept.	30	Rugely, Parish Ch. *O*	7	10	11
Oct.	9	Madeley, Par. Ch. *O*	6	0	1
	11	Pennfields.. .....*O*	4	5	0
	17	Glascote .....*O*	1	9	10
	31	Wolverhampton, Collegiate Church...*O*	3	14	8
		Goodacre, Rev. R. H. *D*	1	0	0
Nov.	5	Caldmore, S. Michael *O*	1	10	0
Dec.	9	Haslehurst, Rev. R. K. .....*S*	1	1	0
	10	How, T. W., Esq. *D*	5	5	0
		Cannock .....*O*	1	1	0
	12	Stapleton .....*O*	1	0	0
		Nash, Rev. E. H. *S*	1	0	0
		Price, Rev. H. H. *S*	1	1	0

1889. **Lichfield** (*continued*).

	Shrewsbury, The Lord Bishop of ..... *S*	£1	1	0
20	Sambrook..... *O*	2	2	0
	Previously acknowledged ...	47	18	0
		86	19	6

Lincoln.

Sept. 28	Nettleham ..... *O*	0	19	5
	Warren, Rev. C. ...*S*	1	1	0
Oct. 17	Gedney Hill..... *O*	1	1	4
Dec. 5	Clark, Rev. G. ...*S*	0	10	6
16	White, Rev. Canon *S*	2	2	0
23	New Clee, S. John *O*	2	12	3
31	Wilde, Rev. Canon (1888-89.).....*S*	2	2	0
	Previously acknowledged ...	32	7	4
		42	15	10

Liverpool.

Nov. 2	Monk, Rev. H. ...*S*	1	1	0
12	Up Holland..... *O*	2	7	3
Dec. 12	Ashton, Miss .....*S*	1	1	0
	Previously acknowledged ...	7	3	1
		11	12	4

Llandaff.

Oct. 8	Pontnewydd Parish Church ..... *O*	1	0	0
29	Llandogo ..... *O*	3	14	6
Nov. 14	Nolton, S. Mary ...*O*	2	11	1
15	Bettws ..... *O*	1	10	0
16	Llanwonno ..... *O*	2	18	6
19	Cwm, S. Paul ..... *O*	0	11	1
	Ynyshir, S. Anne...*O*	1	0	0
20	S. Arvans..... *O*	2	0	2
Dec. 7	Llwynypia, S. Andrew *O*	2	0	0
9	Llandaff, The Lord Bishop of (1889-90) *S*	2	2	0
13	Feetham, Rev. W. *S*	0	10	6
17	Llandaff Diocesan *A*	25	0	0
18	Lewis, Rev. W. (1888-89) .....*S*	2	2	0
27	Llanfair Kilgeddin *O*	1	0	0
28	Bryngwyn.....*O*	1	10	0
30	Roath, S. German *O*	2	13	10
	Previously acknowledged ...	22	4	10
		74	8	6

Manchester.

Oct. 25	Shevington .....*O*	0	10	0
31	Langho ....*O*	2	5	4
Nov. 19	Urmston.....*O*	5	5	9

1889. **Manchester** (*continued*).

Nov. 21	Accrington, S. James *O*	£4	10	4
Dec. 2	S. Anne's-on-Sea...*O*	1	15	0
3	Birley, Rev. A.....*S*	1	1	0
	Leigh, Mrs. .....*S*	1	1	0
30	Tarleton .....*O*	3	0	0
31	Baynes, Rev. W. H. *S*	0	10	0
	Warton .....*O*	0	18	7
	Previously acknowledged ...	18	19	0
		39	16	0

Newcastle.

Oct. 8	Whitadder School Church (M.B.F.) *O*	0	5	0
Nov. 6	Tynemouth, S. Augustine .....*O*	1	17	0
7	Lloyd, The Ven. Archdeacon .....*D*	1	1	0
28	Spittal .....*O*	0	16	0
Dec. 9	Byker, S. Silas.....*O*	1	3	9
17	Morpeth, S. Mary and S. James .....*O*	6	4	1
20	Newcastle Diocesan *A*	21	16	0
	Previously acknowledged ...	12	10	11
		45	13	9

Norwich.

Nov. 5	Great Moulton .....*O*	1	2	3
Dec. 4	Sparham .....*O*	0	12	6
10	Colkirk .....*O*	1	0	0
13	France, Rev. G. F. *S*	1	1	0
14	Ewen, Rev. J. N. F. *D*	2	2	0
31	Norwich, The Very Rev. The Dean of *S*	1	1	0
	Eccles .....*O*	0	10	0
	Previously acknowledged ...	41	16	10
		49	5	7

Oxford.

Oct. 1	Windsor, The Very Rev. The Dean of *S*	1	1	0
22	Newnton Longville *O*	0	9	0
29	Noble, John, Esq....*S*	2	0	0
	Pinckney, Rev. W. P. *S*	1	0	0
	Pinder, Rev. North *S*	1	1	0
Nov. 13	Twyford..... *O*	0	10	4
	Chesham Bois .....*O*	0	10	2
22	Chaddleworth .....*O*	0	13	6
Dec. 4	Skirmett .....*O*	0	12	8
	Boyd, Rev. Canon, D.D. .....*S*	1	1	0
10	Francis, Miss J. D. *S*	1	1	0
16	Garry, Rev. Canon *S*	2	2	0
17	Mowbray, The Rt. Hon. Sir J. R., M.P. *D*	10	10	0

1889.		Oxford (*continued*).			
Dec.	17	Fowler, Rev. F.....*S*	£1	1	0
		Tozer, Rev. H. F...*S*	5	0	0
		Farebrother, Rev. F. *S*	1	1	0
		Chamberlain, Rev. Canon T. .....*S*	2	2	0
		Clutterbuck, Captain W. R.....*S*	1	1	0
		Dry, Mrs. R. D.	0	10	6
		Greswell, The Misses *S*	1	1	0
		Draper, Miss.....*S*	0	10	0
		Cooke, Rev. G. F. *S*	1	1	0
	24	Madan, H. G., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
		Madan, A. C., Esq. *S*	1	0	0
		Burrows, Rev. W. O. *S*	1	1	0
		Strong, Rev. T. B. *S*	1	0	0
		Boase, Rev. C. W. *S*	1	0	0
		Hutton, Rev. W. H. *S*	1	1	0
		Oxford University Church Aid..... *A*	1	4	0
	28	Nettlebed .....*O*	2	12	9
	30	Oxford, S. Mary Magdalene Church Aid *A*	4	16	0
		Cree, Rev. J. A., B.D. *S*	1	1	0
		Sunningdale .....*O*	2	0	0
		Previously acknowledged ...	55	4	4
			109	0	3
		Less Subscription paid in error (1888).....	1	0	0
			108	0	3

		Peterborough.			
Oct.	7	Humberstone, S. Barnabas.....*O*	1	11	5
	26	Belgrave, S. Michael *O*	1	5	6
	31	Normanton .....*O*	1	7	4
Nov.	6	Nassington .....*O*	0	10	0
Dec.	7	Dallington .....*O*	1	4	7
	11	Peterborough, Diocesan Association for the Archdeaconries of Northampton and Oakham ...*A*	35	0	0
	13	North Kilworth ...*O*	0	10	0
	16	Slapton.....*O*	0	6	6
	27	Stoney Stanton ...*O*	1	3	8
	30	Denshanger .....*O*	2	13	3
	31	Edmonds, Rev. F. S. *O*	0	10	6
		Previously acknowledged ...	29	14	10
			75	17	7

1889.		Ripon.			
Dec.	6	Leeds, S. Mary ...*O*	£1	0	0
	13	Buttanshaw, Rev. G. *S*	1	1	0
		Previously acknowledged ...	10	4	10
			12	5	10

		Rochester.			
Sept.	30	Eltham, Holy Trinity *O*	17	17	6
Oct.	8	Robinson, Rev. E. C. *S*	2	2	0
	9	Penge, Christ Church *O*	2	6	0
	11	Berkeley, Rev. G. W. *S*	1	1	0
	15	Tate, Rev. A. (M.B.F.) *S*	1	0	0
		Burstow.....*O*	3	4	0
	17	Wandsworth, S. Faith *O*	0	16	6
Nov.	28	Burham.....*O*	0	15	0
Dec.	2	Grueber, T., Esq...*S*	0	10	0
		Trollope, The Misses *S*	1	1	0
		,, (M.B.F.) *S*	1	1	0
	3	Tatsfield .....*O*	0	10	0
	4	Hook.....*O*	1	6	4
		Clarke, Rev. Canon Erskine (1889-90) *S*	2	2	0
	5	Lewisham, The Transfiguration .....*O*	2	2	9
	9	Collier, J. P., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
	10	New Malden.....*O*	1	5	3
		Nicholl, Rev. J. R. *S*	1	1	0
	16	Stride, W. J., Esq. *D*	5	0	0
		Stapylton, Rev. Canon W. Chetwynd ...*S*	1	1	0
	30	Adams, M. W., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
		Barry, C. A., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
		Branfoot, Mrs. .....*S*	1	0	0
		Cooper, Mrs.....*S*	1	1	0
		Currey, H., Esq. ...*S*	1	1	0
		Davidson, C. Esq....*S*	1	1	0
		Gaitskill, Dr. E. F. *S*	1	1	0
		Hardy, F. J., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
		Harrild, H., Esq., Jun. *S*	1	1	0
		Hutchins, Mrs. .....*S*	0	10	0
		Kingsford, J., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
		Legge, The Hon. and Rev. Canon .....*S*	1	1	0
		Lilley, Rev. E. .....*S*	1	1	0
		Mayow, The Misses *S*	0	10	6
		Robinson, Rev. J. E. *S*	0	10	6
		Rocke, Major-Gen. J. H.....*S.*	0	10	6
		Sellon, J. S., Esq....*S*	1	1	0
		Sillem, A., Esq. ...*S*	1	1	0

1889. Rochester (*continued*).

31	Browell, Rev. J. ...*S*	£1	1	0
	Puller, Miss E. (M.B.F.) .....*S*	0	10	0
	Previously acknowledged ...172		4	5
		237	13	3
	Expenses.....	0	16	0
		236	17	3

S. Albans.

Oct. 4	Little Waltham (M.B.F.) .....*O*	1	19	7
8	Walthamstow, S. Michael ... ..*O*	1	0	0
11	Birdbrook .....*O*	1	0	0
Nov. 14	Tufnell, Mrs. (M.B.F.) *S*	1	0	0
18	Elmstead .....*O*	1	1	0
19	Great Yeldham ...*O*	1	8	6
22	Great Ilford.....*O*	3	0	0
Dec. 3	Great Burstead ...*O*	0	15	0
5	Hill, Rev. Canon...*S*	1	1	0
14	Strong, Miss.....*S*	2	2	0
	Curtis, Rev. A. F. (M.B.F.) .....*S*	0	10	0
17	Heron's Gate, S. John (M.B.F.) .....*O*	1	11	0
18	Essendon .....*O*	2	19	4
28	Procter, Rev. Canon *S*	1	1	0
30	Green, Rev. E. K. *S*	1	1	0
31	Reeve, Rev. G. J. (1889-90) .....*S*	2	2	0
	Previously acknowledged ...110		16	10
		134	8	3

Salisbury.

Nov. 19	Broad Hinton .....*O*	0	10	8
Dec. 4	Bouverie, The Hon. and Rev. B. P. ...*S*	1	1	0
7	Gibson, Rev. Canon H. F.....*S*	1	1	0
	Bouverie, The Hon. and Rev. B. P. (M.B.F.) .....*D*	1	1	0
9	Hounsell, W., Esq. *S*	3	0	0
10	Redpath, Rev. H. A. *S*	1	1	0
	Holwell .....*O*	1	0	0
12	Rooke, The Rev. Prebendary .....*S*	1	1	0
19	Dowding, Rev. W. *D*	5	0	0
28	Bishop's Cannings *O*	1	8	6
	Previously acknowledged ... 67		0	5
		83	4	7

1889. S. Asaph.

Oct. 29	Nerquis ... .*O*	£1	3	6
Dec. 27	Llanhaiadr yn-Mochnant..... *O*	0	10	0
30	Gladstone, Mrs.....*S*	0	10	0
	Gladstone, Rev. S. E. *S*	1	0	0
	Hawarden.....*A*	0	12	0
	Previously acknowledged ...	19	7	9
		23	3	3

S. David's.

Oct. 12	Llanafan-fawr .....*O*	0	18	6
15	S. Florence .....*O*	1	0	4
19	Abergorlech .....*O*	0	3	1
22	Carnhedren, S. James *O*	1	2	0
Nov. 11	Steynton .....*O*	0	13	6
19	Llansawel.....*O*	2	0	3
22	Llangendeirne .....*O*	0	8	0
28	Begelly .....*O*	0	7	3
	Gowerton, S. John *O*	2	4	6
Dec. 2	Llanfihangel - Nant - Bran .....*O*	1	0	0
21	Bevan, Rev. Canon (1890).....*S*	1	1	0
	Hay .....*O*	3	0	4
28	Llanbadarn Vawr *O*	1	19	0
	Lower Chapel and Garthbrengi .....*O*	1	10	0
	Kiffig .....*O*	0	11	4
	Llangoedmore .....*O*	1	12	6
	Llanycefn ....*O*	0	6	7
	Bangor Teifi.....*O*	1	5	0
	Llanrhian .....*O*	0	10	5
	Pennally .....*O*	0	10	6
30	Phillips, Rev. Chancellor .....*S*	1	1	0
	Swansea, S. Peter .*D*	1	3	6
31	Williams, Rev. Canon *S*	1	1	0
	Llanelly, All Saints *O*	4	0	8
	S. Ishmael's .....*O*	0	16	7
	Cree, Rev. T. G. (1889-90) .....*S*	2	2	0
	Llanllawddog .....*O*	0	11	0
	Smith, Rev. Canon *S*	1	1	0
	S. David's, The Very Rev. The Dean of *S*	5	5	0
	Cray .....*O*	0	10	0
	Previously acknowledged ...183		11	1
		223	6	11

Southwell.

Oct. 7	Derby, S. Chad's...*O*	2	0	0
Nov. 19	South Darley .....*O*	1	4	7

1889.		**Southwell** (*continued*).			
Dec.	10	Lewis, Rev. Canon *S*	£0	5	0
	18	Bakewell .....*O*	11	3	0
	20	Taylor, W. G., Esq.*S*	1	1	0
	30	Cator, Rev. W. L. B. *S*	1	1	0
		Previously acknowledged ...	17	8	10
			34	3	5

Truro.

Oct.	12	Buller, J. F., Esq. *S*	2	2	0
		Bush, Rev. Canon *S*	1	1	0
		Fortescue, Colonel *S*	3	0	0
		Glencross, Rev. J. *S*	2	10	0
		Glencross, Mrs.....*S*	2	0	0
		Olver, Rev. H. H. *S*	1	1	0
		Rendle, C. B., Esq..*S*	0	10	6
		West, Rev. J. O....*S*	1	1	0
		S. Keyne .....*O*	0	13	9
Nov.	13	Perran-Uthno .....*O*	6	0	0
		Chamier, E., Esq. *S*	0	10	6
		Walker, Rev. C. H.*D*	0	10	0
		Morwenstow .....*O*	1	0	0
	28	Glanville, Rev. H. C.*S*	0	10	0
		Bodmin, Ven. Archdeacon of .....*S*	1	1	0
		,, (M.B.F.)*S*	1	1	0
		S. Ive .....*O*	0	15	0
		Carew, Mrs. Pole...*S*	1	0	0
		Kitson, Rev. J. F. *S*	1	0	0
		Newlyn, S. Peter...*O*	0	10	4
Dec.	—	Truro, S. Paul .....*O*	3	1	9
	19	Bastard, Rev. W. P.*S*	1	1	0
		Coode, E., Esq. ...*D*	1	0	0
		May, Rev. H. T. ...*S*	1	1	0
		Tripp, Miss F. E....*S*	1	1	0
		Truro Cathedral ...*O*	6	17	1
	23	Rogers, Miss E.... *S*	1	1	0
		Ross, Major .....*S*	0	10	6
		Robartes, Lord.....*S*	1	1	0
		Lostwithiel .....*O*	0	11	7
		Bodmin .....*O*	1	17	2
		Boucher, A. R., Esq. *S*	1	0	0
	2	Du Boulay, Rev. Canon.....*S*	0	10	6
		Newlyn .....*O*	0	10	0
	27	Truro, The Lord Bishop of (1888-89)*S*	2	2	0
		Carus-Wilson, E. S., Esq. .....*S*	0	10	0
		Carus-Wilson, E. W., Esq. .....*S*	1	0	0
		Nix, A. P., Esq. ...*S*	1	0	0
		Polwhele, T. R., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
		Holland, Miss .....*S*	0	5	0

1889.		**Truro** (*continued*).			
Dec.	27	Baker, Rev. S. Valentine.....*S*	£0	10	0
		Carlyon, E., Esq....*S*	1	1	0
		Coode, W., Esq. ...*S*	0	10	0
		Coode, Miss .....*S*	0	5	0
		Higman, H. W., Esq. *S*	0	5	0
		Lakes, R. G., Esq. *S*	0	5	0
		Martin, T., Esq. ...*S*	1	1	0
		Rashleigh, J. Esq. *S*	1	1	0
		Stephens, Dr. .....*S*	0	10	6
		Stephens, J., Esq....*S*	1	1	0
		S. Goran's and S. Goran's Haven .....*O*	0	15	2
	30	Godolphin.....*O*	0	2	6
		Gorton, Gilbert, Esq. *D*	0	2	9
		S. Clether .....*O*	0	1	10
		S. Teath .....*O*	0	11	6
	31	Calstock .....*O*	2	0	0
		Tatham, Mrs. .....*S*	0	10	0
		Rogers, Rev. Canon*S*	1	0	0
		Gwennap .....*O*	1	0	0
		Redruth Parish Church *O*	1	0	0
		,, S. Andrew *O*	1	6	6
		Mount Hawke .....*O*	0	5	0
		Michell, F. W., Esq..*S*	0	10	0
		Looe Parish Church *O*	3	4	1
		Kingdon, Rev. R. H. *D*	0	10	6
		Previously acknowledged ...	28	7	7
			102	15	4
		Expenses	0	3	3
			102	12	1

Wakefield.

Oct.	18	Norristhorpe Mission Chapel (M.B.F.)*O*	1	0	0
Dec.	3	Sharlston .....*O*	1	3	0
	21	Brownhill, S. Saviour *O*	1	0	0
		Previously acknowledged ...	1	10	9
			4	13	9

Worcester.

Nov.	15	Bainbrigge, Rev. J. H. (M.B.F.) ...*D*	2	0	0
	16	Clifford, Rev. J ...*S*	1	1	0
	21	Scowcroft Rev. J. H.*S*	0	10	0
	22	Holly Hall, S. Augustine .....*O*	2	10	0
		Cobham, Rt. Hon. Viscount .....*S*	1	1	0

1889.		Worcester (*continued*).			
Nov.	26	Boddington, Rev. E. H. .....*S*	1	1	0
Dec.	4	Crowle .....*O*	0	7	11
	6	Gibbons, Rev. B....*S*	1	1	0
	7	Newbold Pacey ...*O*	2	0	1
	9	Evans, W., Esq....*D*	2	2	0
	13	Massey, The Hon. and Rev. A. H. J. ...*S*	1	1	0
	16	Attye, Miss (1888-90) *S*	3	3	0
	20	Pepys, Rev. Canon H. G.....*S*	1	1	0
		Williams, J. F. G., Esq. .....*S*	2	0	0
1889.		Worcester (*continued*).			
		Salt, H., Esq., M.D..*S*	1	1	0
		Brandt, Miss (M.B.F.) (1888-9).....*S*	0	10	0
	23	Gibbs, Rev. W. C. *S*	1	1	0
		Bird, J. Esq. .....*S*	1	1	0
		Hodgett's Legacy *D*	1	0	0
	31	Tilley, Rev. H. T. (1889 90) .....*S*	0	10	0
		Previously acknowledged ...	70	11	3
			96	13	3

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FIVE THOUSAND PEOPLE WITHOUT EITHER CHURCH or Church School, although there are three Chapels with two very large schools. £100 has been offered towards erection of temporary School Church, if an equal amount can be raised before the end of October. £1800 is still required for the first section of proposed new Church. Population, all cotton operatives, rapidly increasing, while nearly all the mill-owners are Nonconformists. Contributions will be gratefully received by the Rev. J. Blackburn Brown, Cherry Tree, Blackburn, who will be glad to supply further information.

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A MEETING of the Committee of the Society was held at the Society's House, 7, Dean's Yard, Westminster Abbey, London, S.W., on Thursday, January the 16th, 1890, at 2 p.m.

Present—The Venerable the ARCHDEACON of KINGSTON in the Chair.

Rev. C. ALFRED JONES.	G. ALAN LOWNDES, Esq.
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Rev. R. MILBURN BLAKISTON, *Secretary*.

The available balances in hand were :—

General Fund	£2118	£2272
Mission Buildings Fund	154	
"R. M. Fund"		398
Hine Legacy		788

The Finance Report was prepared by the Rev. C. Alfred Jones, the Rev. George Miller, the Rev. C. Wyatt-Smith, W. E. M. Tomlinson, Esq., M.P., and the Rev. R. Milburn Blakiston, Secretary.

The following applications were then considered and dealt with as stated :—

I. BUILDING ADDITIONAL NEW CHURCHES.

1.—No. 9398.—BLAENGARW, S. JAMES, in the parish of Llangeinor, near Bridgend. Dio. Llandaff.—It has been decided to build a Church at Blaengarw, in the Garw Valley. This Valley has developed wonderfully of late, and it is essentially necessary

that the Church should make immediate and adequate provision for this rapidly increasing population. The room now used for Divine Services is only lent temporarily, the accommodation it affords is very inadequate and the building altogether is very uninviting. The proposed Church will accommodate 450 persons ; all seats free. The estimated cost is £1385. It will be a Chapel-of-ease. Applicant, Rev. D. Pugh ; Architects, Messrs. Bruton & Williams, Cardiff.—**£100** voted.

2.—No. 9399.—BRUNTCLIFFE, S. ANDREW, in the parish of Morley S. Peter, near Leeds. Dio. Wakefield.—The site of the proposed Church given by the Earl of Dartmouth is in the colliery village of Bruntcliffe, where a congregation has been formed and services carried on in a Dissenting Chapel hired by the Vicar of Morley. The new Church is not intended for Bruntcliffe only, but also for a large portion of the great and growing population of S. Paul's, Morley, and for the scattered inhabitants of a large tract of fields and woods at present attached to Batley Parish. Accommodation will be provided for 406 ; all seats free. Estimated cost, £2310. Applicant, Rev. H. Jackson ; Architect, Mr. M. Sheard, Batley.—**£50** voted.

3.—No. 9400.—EGLWYS-DEWI-SANT, CARDIFF. Dio. Llandaff.—The Welsh-speaking people of Cardiff, who number 15,000, have been entirely neglected by the Church in past years. There are at present thirteen Welsh Nonconformist chapels in Cardiff and twelve resident ministers. The present Welsh movement was commenced two years ago. Since that time a commodious Mission Church has been built and paid for. This Church will not be a parochial Church, but will serve for Welsh-speaking persons generally. The accommodation will be for 457; all seats free. Applicant, Rev. A. E. H. Hyslop ; Architect, Mr. E. M. Bruce Vaughan, Cardiff.—**£200** voted.

4.—No. 9348.—CHERRY TREE, S. FRANCIS, in the parish of Livesey, S. Andrew, near Blackburn. Dio. Manchester.—The population of this new district is now 5700 and rapidly increasing ; at present services are held in the schoolroom, but the bulk of the population (4800) are a mile away. There is no building in their midst which can be used for Church purposes, whilst the roads are circuitous and unsafe. It is therefore proposed to erect a Church in a central position, for which an eligible site has been given. The inhabitants are all factory operatives. The Church when finally completed will cost £7500 and seat 601 persons ; all seats free. It is now proposed to expend £4400 on the first section of the work, and to provide accommodation for 437 persons. On account of Rule XXXIII. only a grant of £15 could in the first instance be made for this Church, an application for further aid was at the time suggested. Applicant, Rev. J. Blackburn Brown; Architects, Messrs. Aldridge & Deacon, Liverpool.—**£115** voted, making **£130** in all.

5.—No. 9403.—CWMAMAN, in the parish of Aberaman, near Aberdare. Dio. Llandaff.—Deferred.

6.—No. 9404.—ENFIELD, S. MARK. Dio. London.—The district for which the new Church is required is one which has grown up during the last ten years where before were cornfields. It is entirely distinct from Enfield, cut off by the G.E. Railway ; it has a station of its own on that line and is practically a suburb of London. The whole population of Enfield is over 7000, of which 300 are in the new district. The Church will accommodate 510 persons ; all seats free. Estimated cost, £3498. Applicant, Rev. Preb. Hodson ; Architects, Messrs. J. E. K. & J. P. Cutts, London. —**£200** voted.

7.—No. 9108.—RIBBLETON, S. MARY MAGDALENE, in the parish of Preston. Dio. Manchester.—This Ecclesiastical District was formed in 1883 and contains a

scattered population increasing rapidly, especially in that part which contains the Preston Cemetery. When the present incumbent was appointed five years ago the services were held in a small cottage lent for the purpose. In the last four and a half years the services have been held in a hired room with the license of the Bishop. The Church holds 217 persons; all seats free. Cost, £2879. Applicant, Rev. W. Pilling; Architect, Mr. R. K. Freeman, Bolton.—Deferred at the last Meeting on account of Rule XXXIII.—**£50** voted.

II. Rebuilding on same or new Site.

8.—No. 9394.—Plaistow, S. Mary. Dio. S. Alban's.—This Church was built A.D. 1830 and is now very dilapidated owing to want of care in building. It is proposed to build the new Church in sections on the site of the old Church, the first section to consist of a new chancel which will be joined to the present nave. This will give additional sittings to the number of about 150, and this first portion of the work will cost £4500. In this sum is included the repairs of present nave and roofs, the removing and rebuilding of the Pelly vault, a new reredos and seating of Morning Chapel and part of nave. The whole Church will ultimately accommodate 878 persons; all seats free. Estimated cost, £28,925. Applicant, Rev. T. Given Wilson; Architect, Sir A. W. Blomfield, A.R.A., London.—**£250** voted.

III. Enlarging, or Reseating with Repairs.

9.—No. 9312.—Brandesburton, S. Mary, near Hull. Dio. York.—Deferred.

10.—No. 9405.—Charles, S. John Baptist, near South Molton. Dio. Exeter.—It is not known when this Church was built, but the chancel was rebuilt in 1878 and the tower restored in 1888. Although the sittings are to be fewer, they will be more convenient; all facing east, whereas in the old arrangement they face different ways. This is a poor moorland parish (Exmoor) and the former restorations have completely drained all local supplies. Estimated cost, £325. Applicant, Rev. P. W. Bates; Architect, Mr. E. Webb, Barnstaple.—**£40** voted.

11.—No. 9360.—Heeley, Christ Church, near Sheffield. Dio. York.—This Church was built A.D. 1846, assisted by a grant of £250 from this Society. The building is now in good repair. The population is almost entirely composed of artizans and the poor labouring classes. The Archbishop of York states that "no parish needs help more than this. An active incumbent in the prime of life has taken the place of one of advanced age." Estimated cost, £1360. Applicant, Rev. W. Odom; Architect, Mr. J. D. Webster, Sheffield.—Deferred at the last Meeting on account of Rule XXXIII.—**£35** voted.

12.—No. 8862.—Longfield, S. Mary Magdalen, near Dartford. Dio. Rochester.—This Church was built in the fourteenth century; the building is now in a very bad state. The parish is likely to increase rapidly, owing to the establishment of large brickfields, which gives employment to labourers. There is a railway-station in the parish. A large quantity of land has been laid out for building, and a number of villas and moderate-sized houses have been built. The enlargement of the Church has become a necessity. In February, 1884, the sum of £30 was voted towards the enlargement of this Church, but owing to the work not having been carried out, the grant was cancelled in December, 1887. Estimated cost, £955. Applicant, Rev. W. H. Duke; Architect, Mr. John Drake, Rochester.—Deferred at the July Meeting on account of Rule XXXIII.—**£40** voted.

13.—No. 9386.—Normanby, S. Peter, near Market Rasen. Dio. Lincoln.—In consequence of the dilapidated condition of this Church it is necessary that

immediate steps should be taken to carry out its restoration. The south aisle requires rebuilding, the nave roof to be made good, and the decayed stonework repaired, the floor lowered to its original level and new floor and seats provided. It is also intended to enlarge the chancel, which is very small, and build a vestry and organ-chamber. The parish is a very poor one and the living less than £100 a year. Estimated cost, £605. Applicant, Rev. J. F. Bassett. Architects, Messrs. Goddard & Son, Lincoln.—**£25** voted.

14.—No. 9401.—PORTSLADE, S. ANDREW, near Brighton. Dio. Chichester.—This Church was built A.D. 1863, assisted by a grant of £200 from this Society. It has now been found necessary to add a new aisle to this small Church. The population of the parish consists almost exclusively of the working class. Estimated cost, £850. Applicant, Rev. C. A. Marona; Architect, Mr. R. T. Blomfield, London.—**£40** voted.

IV. MISSION BUILDING.

15.—M.B.F., No. 742.—SHACKLEWELL, MERCHANT TAYLORS' SCHOOL MISSION. Dio. London.—The intended building, besides being for Divine Services, will be used for Lecture Classes, Meetings and all kinds of Parochial work. The district is taken out of the Parishes of West Hackney and Stoke Newington. It will hold 250 persons. Estimated cost, £1800. Applicant, Rev. W. A. Buck.—**£30** voted.

Summary, arranged according to Dioceses:—

No. of Grants.	Diocese.	Amount.
1	York	£35
2	London	230
1	Chichester	40
1	Exeter	40
1	Lincoln	25
2	Llandaff	300
2	Manchester	165
1	Rochester	40
1	S. Alban's	250
1	Wakefield	50
13	Total	£1175

These grants were voted from the several Funds as follows:—

12	General Fund	£1110
1	Mission Buildings Fund	30
	1 Hine Legacy	35
13	Total	£1175

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Present—The Venerable the ARCHDEACON of ESSEX in the Chair.

Rev. Canon CAZENOVE.
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Lieut.-Col. the Hon. G. H. W. WINDSOR-CLIVE.
F. H. ROOKE, Esq.
Hon. R. STRUTT.

Rev. R. MILBURN BLAKISTON, *Secretary*.

The available balances in hand were :—

General Fund	£2181	£2352
Mission Buildings Fund	171	
"R. M. Fund"		402
Hine Legacy		793

The Finance Report was prepared by the Rev. C. Alfred Jones, the Rev. C. Wyatt-Smith, and the Rev. R. Milburn Blakiston, Secretary.

The following applications were then considered and dealt with as stated :—

I. BUILDING ADDITIONAL NEW CHURCHES.

1.—No. 9413.—FRIERN BARNET, S. JOHN, near New Southgate. Dio. London.—Friern Barnet is a parish three miles in length and about one in breadth, and is from six to eight miles north of the Metropolis. The whole Church is estimated to cost £12,685, and will hold 526 ; all seats free. It is proposed to erect now a chancel, &c., at a cost of about £6150, to accommodate about 110, exclusive of the choir, and an iron nave to hold 216 and choir, about 350 in all. Applicant, Rev. F. Hall ; Architect, Mr. J. L. Pearson, R.A., London.—**£175** voted.

2.—No. 9367.—GRANDPONT, S. MATTHEW, in the parish of S. Aldate's, Oxford. Dio. Oxford.—At present there is no Dissenting Chapel of any kind in S. Aldate's Parish. If a Church for this rapidly increasing population at Grandpont were to be delayed, two or three Dissenting Chapels might soon spring up and divide the population. Before many years have passed there may be from two to three thousand persons in this new and attractive suburb. The estimated cost is £6015, and the accommodation for 527 ; 257 seats to be pew-rented. Applicant, Rev. Canon Christopher ; Architects, Messrs. Christopher & White, London.—**£100** voted.

3.—No. 9407.—LEYTONSTONE, S. MARGARET. Dio. S. Alban's.—The Mission District of S. Margaret's, Leytonstone, is under the Bishop of S. Alban's Fund. It is an exceedingly poor neighbourhood, and contains a working-class population of 5000, but has no permanent Church or parish-room. A site for the permanent Church has been purchased by the Bishop of S. Alban's Fund. The Church will hold 800 ; all seats free. Estimated cost, £5250. Applicant, Rev. E. Sant ; Architects, Messrs. Newman & Jacques, London.—**£250** voted.

4.—No. 9414.—Stonebridge, S. Michael and All Angels, in the parish of Harlesden All Souls. Dio. London.—The district to be assigned to S. Michael's Church will consist of parts of the parish of All Souls, and of S. Mary's, Willesden, and will be a consolidated chapelry. The population is growing with great rapidity, and it is expected that within very few years it will reach 18,000. It is proposed building at present only the nave and aisles, at a cost of £6400, leaving the chancel and tower for the future. A temporary chancel will be erected. The whole Church will hold 605; 300 seats to be pew-rented. Estimated cost, £9500. Applicant, Rev. W. Irwin; Architects, Messrs. Goldie, Child & Goldie, London.—**£125** voted.

II. Rebuilding on same or new site.

5.—No. 9403.—Cwmaman, S. Joseph, in the parish of Aberaman, near Aberdare. Dio. Llandaff.—The population of this parish is somewhat scattered, with two large portions of the population at some distance from the Parish Church, one of which is Cwmaman, for which it is now intended to provide. Provision will soon have to be made for services in another portion of the parish containing a population of 1000 inhabitants. The chancel is already built. Estimated cost, £901. Applicant, Rev. R. Williams; Architect, Mr. E. A. Bruce Vaughan, Cardiff.—**£80** voted.

6.—No. 9415.—Upper Poppleton, All Saints. Dio. York.—This Church was built A.D. 1150, and repaired about seventy years ago; it is now very dilapidated, and almost in ruins, all that can be re-used is the best of the stones. If the total amount of estimate is not raised, the vestry will be omitted for the present, but the plans are prepared so that if necessary this part can be added later. Estimated cost, £1875. Applicant, Rev. J. Williams; Architect, Mr. C. Hodgson Fowler, Durham.—**£40** voted.

III. Enlarging, or Reseating with Repairs.

7.—No. 9395.—Llanfairisgaer, S. Mary, near Bangor. Dio. Bangor.—This Church was built A.D. 1865, assisted by a grant of £150 from this Society; but in consequence of carrying out less costly plans, the grant was reduced by £20. Additional accommodation is now required, and to meet this need it is proposed to finish the chancel according to the original design. This involves the building of a south transept, and arcades to both transepts, the replacing of the present brick and mortar with a stone chancel arch, and an organ arch, with other alterations. Estimated cost, £600. Applicant, Rev. H. Parry; Architect, Mr. M. Hepworth, Maidenhead.

8.—No. 9393.—Chepstow, S. Mary.—It is proposed to partially rebuild this Church (chancel and transept) and to restore the old nave. The Church consists of the remains of a fine old Norman nave, portions of which were removed by gunpowder by Wyatt in 1840, together with side aisles. Estimated cost, £7500. Applicant, Rev. E. J. Hensley; Architects, Messrs. Seddon & Carter, London.—**£50** voted.

9.—No. 9385.—Conwil Gaio, S. Conwili, near Llandilo. Dio. S. David's.—Deferred.

10.—No. 9412.—Ruardean, S. John the Baptist. Dio. Gloucester and Bristol.—This Church was built between the twelfth and fifteenth centuries, and was repaired about twenty years ago, at a cost of £1200. The parishioners are very poor, and mostly miners. The Church is at present closed by order of the diocesan architect. Estimated cost, £2015. Applicant, Rev. E. B. Churchill; Architects, Messrs. Waller & Son, Gloucester.—**£50** voted.

11.—No. 9408.—WINSFORD, S. MARY, near Dulverton. Dio. Exeter.—This Church was built in the fifteenth century. The great improvement desired is to remove the high pews, and substitute open seats, there will be then convenient accommodation for kneeling. Estimated cost, £699. Applicant, Rev. W. P. Anderson; Architect, Mr. J. D. Sedding, London.—**£15** voted.

IV. MISSION BUILDINGS.

12.—M.B.F., No. 737.—ACTON LANE, ALL SAINTS, in the parish of South Acton. Dio. London.—This building is for the use of five streets of poor working people, who although not so very far from the Parish Church and Parish Hall are separated from both by a line of railway. It will hold 90; and the estimated cost is £600. Applicant, Rev. A. Hunter Dunn.—**£20** voted.

13.—M.B.F., No. 730.—CAMBRIDGE, S. PHILIP, in the parish of S. Barnabas, Cambridge.—This district is separated from the rest of the parish by the Great Eastern Railway, which cuts the parish in two, and it is for this part of the parish that a new Church is urgently needed in place of the present small temporary wooden building, holding only ninety persons. This Mission Church will hold 600, and the estimated cost is £2100. Applicant, Rev. C. Butler.—**£40** voted.

Summary, arranged according to Dioceses:—

No. of Grants.	Diocese.	Amount.
1	York	£40
3	London	320
1	Bangor	25
1	Bath and Wells	15
1	Ely	40
1	Gloucester and Bristol	50
2	Llandaff	130
1	Oxford	100
1	S. Alban's	250
12	Total	£970

These grants were voted from the several Funds as follows:—

10	General Fund	£910
2	Mission Buildings Fund	60
12	Total	£970

A MEETING of the Committee of the Society, was held at the Society's House, 7, Dean's Yard, Westminster Abbey, London, S.W., on Thursday, March the 20th, 1890, at 2 p.m.

Present—The Venerable the ARCHDEACON of ESSEX in the Chair.

Rev. Canon J. ERSKINE CLARKE.	J. F. FRANCE, Esq.
REV. C. ALFRED JONES.	JAMES HILTON, Esq.
REV. Canon T. W. PERRY.	ATHELSTAN RILEY, Esq.
Lieut.-Col. the Hon. G. H. W. WINDSOR-CLIVE.	Hon. R. STRUTT.

Rev. R. MILBURN BLAKISTON, *Secretary*.

The available balances in hand were :—

General Fund	£1393	£1515
Mission Buildings Fund	122	
"R.M. Fund"		399
Hine Legacy		790

The Finance Report was prepared by the Rev. C. Alfred Jones and the Rev. R. Milburn Blakiston, Secretary.

The following applications were then considered and dealt with as stated :—

I. REBUILDING ON NEW SITE.

1.—No. 9419.—FALDINGWORTH, ALL SAINTS, near Market Rasen. Dio. Lincoln. —This Church was last repaired in 1818. It consists of a good fourteenth-century tower and a bad modern nave and chancel. The tower alone can be preserved. The estimated cost is £2115. Applicant, Rev. F. H. Dalby ; Architect, Mr. C. Hodgson Fowler, Durham.—£**80** voted.

2.—No. 9411.—GREAT STEEPING, ALL SAINTS, near Spilsby.—The proposed new Church is to take the place of the existing one which is now quite away from the village, and is so damp and dilapidated that services have now to be held in the schoolroom. A new site has been given in the village, near the school, for the erection of a new Church. The population is exceedingly poor, consisting almost entirely of agricultural labourers. It will accommodate 112 persons ; all seats free. Estimated cost, £955. Applicant, Rev. R. G. Walls ; Architect, Mr. W. Bassett Smith, London.—£**50** voted.

II. ENLARGING, OR RESEATING WITH REPAIRS.

3.—No. 9410.—CHARLTON ADAM, SS. PETER AND PAUL. Dio. Bath and Wells. —This Church was built in the fourteenth century, and repaired about fifteen years ago. It is now very dilapidated. There are no resident landlords in the parish. Those who own land have felt the agricultural depression very much. Estimated cost, £899. Applicant, Rev. P. W. Bryan ; Architect, Mr. J. D. Sedding, London.—£**25** voted.

4.—No. 9397.—COLDRED, S. PANCRAS, near Dover. Dio. Canterbury.—This is one of the most ancient Saxon Churches in England. It stands in one corner within an ancient earthwork formed by a deep ditch and high banks. It is intended that the works shall be confined to the much-needed ones of repairs to the roof and

walls, removing the accumulated earth from the exterior to prevent the rising of damp; providing a new vestry (there being none at present), and the rebuilding of a modern porch which is falling. Estimated cost, £335. Applicant, Rev. C. B. Shirres; Architect, Mr. E. P. Loftus Brock, London.—**£20** voted.

5.—No. 9385.—CONWIL GAIO, S. CONWILI, near Llandilo. Dio. S. David's.—Deferred.

6.—No. 9381.—GARRIGILL' CHAPEL, in the parish of Alston. Dio. Newcastle.—The condition of this Chapel is—exterior barnlike, interior damp and comfortless; the arrangement of interior most unecclesiastical, font, pulpit, reading-desk, vestry, and parsonage pew being all within the altar rails, roof permitting rain and snow to penetrate. Estimated cost, £1375. Applicant, Rev. P. T. Lee; Architects, Messrs. Hicks & Charlewood, Newcastle-on-Tyne.—**£50** voted.

7.—No. 8857.—IPSWICH, S. MICHAEL'S. Dio. Norwich.—This Church was erected in 1880-1, enlarged in 1883, when a grant of £50 was made by the Society; it is now intended to complete the Church by adding a chancel. It is a very poor parish, and it is no easy matter to obtain the money required. In addition to the completion of the Church, an organ has to be purchased. Estimated cost, £1465. Applicant, Rev. W. J. Garrould; Architect, Mr. E. F. Bisshopp, Ipswich.—**£40** voted.

8.—No. 9416.—KENNINGHALL, S. MARY, near Thetford. Dio. Norwich.—This Church was erected A.D. 1450 and was last repaired 1862-3 at a cost of £22 1*s.* 2*d.*; it is in a dilapidated state through neglect and injudicious repairs. Estimated cost, £1990. Applicant, Rev. W. W. Tyler; Architect, Mr. W. T. Lowdell, London.—**£40** voted.

9.—No. 9340.—MIDDLESBOROUGH, S. HILDA. Dio. York.—This Church, built A.D. 1837, was assisted by a grant of £500 from this Society. In 1867 a further grant of £25 was given towards seating the chancel and adding seats in the gallery. The present application is for aid towards rebuilding and extending the chancel. The chancel was seriously damaged by the falling of a stack of chimneys caused by a recent gale; 50 sittings will be gained by this extension. Estimated cost, £800. Deferred at the July meeting in 1889 on account of Rule XXXIII. Applicant, Rev. J. K. Bealey; Architect, Mr. W. H. Blessley, Middlesborough.—**£40** voted.

10.—No. 9333.—SOUTHWARK, CHRIST CHURCH. Dio. Rochester.—Deferred.

III. FURTHER AID.

11.—No. 9328.—HEDGEFIELD, S. HILDA, in the parish of Ryton-on-Tyne. Dio. Durham.—Hedgefield is not an ordinary pit village. The district is close to the river Tyne, and about 1½ miles from the populous town of Blaydon, so it is more than probable that in a few years the population will be considerable, increased by other classes of workmen coming to reside there. The want of Church room is very great. The Parish Church will not accommodate more than 400 people, and is barely sufficient for the village of Ryton. Thirty houses in the parish of Blaydon will use this new Church, it being much nearer than their own Church. Estimated cost £2600. The accommodation will be for 300; all seats free. A grant of £60 was voted in May 1889, the largest amount that could be given then, owing to Rule XXXIII. Applicant, Rev. Canon T. H. Chester; Architects, Messrs. Oliver & Leeson, Newcastle-on-Tyne. —**£60** additional voted, making **£120** in all.

Summary, arranged according to Dioceses:—

No. of Grants.	Diocese.	Amount.
1	Canterbury	£20
1	York	40
1	Durham	120
1	Bath and Wells	25
2	Lincoln	130
1	Newcastle	50
2	Norwich	80
9	Total	£465

These grants were all from the General Fund.

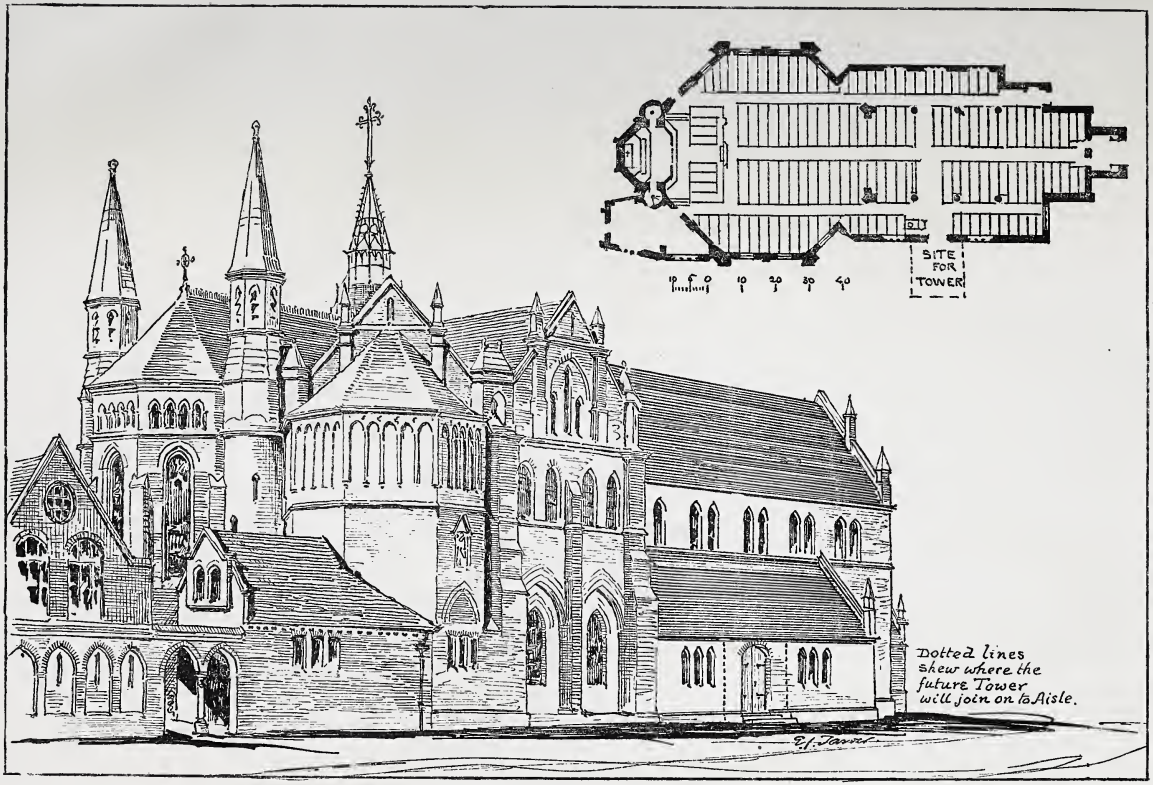
Church of All Souls, Harlesden, Middlesex.

THIS Church, which was partly built and consecrated some twelve years ago, has now been completed, with the exception of the tower and certain internal fittings and decorations.

While in its incomplete state, consisting of the octagonal portion only, and so much of the apse as was necessary to secure consecration, this Church naturally presented an uncouth appearance, which drew down upon it severe criticisms from those who could not foresee the effect of the finished building. These critics have now happily changed their views, and speak of the "Cathedral-like" appearance of the Church.

This appearance may be due to the fact that the nave and aisles form an approach to a more extensive portion of the interior, as they would do in a cruciform Church; but this portion, which has been aptly called the "dome," is entirely unobstructed by such piers as are usually found in a transeptal building. It somewhat resembles the dome of the Church of S. Gereon at Cologne.

The Cologne churches have also suggested the grouping of the turrets flanking the apse, with its arcade just under the



ALL SOULS, HARLESDEN, MIDDLESEX.

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eaves. This arcade is glazed at the back, and gives light to the upper surface of the brick and stone vaulting.

An organ-chamber has been added, with a lofty roof rising above the window which occupied this gable of the octagon. The removal of this window, and of those at the clerestory level, has produced an organ-chamber which Mr. Willis declares to be the finest in London, and it is to be hoped that funds may be forthcoming to provide a permanent organ to be built in it. Since the preparation of the original plan in 1877, it has been found expedient to increase the number of bays in the nave from three to five, in order to provide for the great increase in the local population. Beyond this is a western porch, abutting close on to the road, and the massive lintel and imposts are left in block for sculpture worthy of this conspicuous position. This sculpture should represent "All Souls," a somewhat difficult subject, the treatment of which is still under consideration.

Internally there is a large panel at the west end of the nave, intended for permanent colour decoration. The text from Ezekiel, "All souls are mine," would be appropriate for representation here, and it has been suggested that, in connection with this subject, it would be well to devote the two return walls to monumental tablets, recording the memory of those who have worshipped in the Church. Mural monuments—in moderation—form interesting connecting-links between the history of a Church and the inhabitants.

Around the dome, except where pierced by the arches into the nave and apse, there is a continuous band of plain walling, about six feet high, which is intended to contain a representation of the Te Deum.

The windows are being filled with stained glass, as opportunity arises, on a scheme of subjects laid down by the vicar.

Grants to the amount of £300 in all have been made by the Incorporated Church Building Society towards this Church.

The design of this building was prepared by Mr. Edward J. Tarver, F.S.A., architect.

Seal Chart, S. Lawrence, Kent.

THE small Church of Saint Lawrence, Seal Chart, Kent, was built in 1867 as a memorial; and at the same time a district, taken from the mother parish of Seal, was assigned.

The Church originally consisted of chancel and nave, providing accommodation for 150 sittings, with a small belfry at the west end for two bells. The architect was Mr. C. H. Howell, of 3, Lancaster Place.

In 1876 an enlargement was made to the Church, by the addition of north and south transepts, giving an additional accommodation of about fifty sittings, and at the same time an organ was added to the Church.

In 1887 a further addition was made, by the lengthening of the nave, and providing additional accommodation of some fifty sittings. At this time a tower was added with a peal of six bells.

The Church is built of Kentish rag, with Speldhurst sandstone dressings, and it is lined internally with ashlar of the same sandstone, very carefully selected, and exhibiting a very good specimen of this richly-grained sandstone.

The Church is picturesquely situated on high ground, surrounded by the Scotch firs plantations of the Chart.

The alterations made in 1876 and in 1887 were carried out from designs prepared by Mr. Frederick W. Hunt, of 30, York Place.

S. Margaret's, Leytonstone.

ANY one desirous of realizing the amount of business transacted in the City of London, could hardly do better than take his stand in the early morning at a great London terminus. From north, south, east, and west, enormous numbers of artisans, clerks, and business men are poured into London in an almost continuous stream, beginning with the labourers in the workmen's train, and ending with the merchants in the luxurious express. "What goes up," says the proverb, "must come down;" and at evening the City disgorges its throng of workers

CHURCH OF S. LAWRENCE, SEAL-CHART, KENT.

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in inverse order. How thoroughly the City has ceased to be anything more than a place of business is shown by its deserted aspect on Sunday, and the emptiness of the Churches still left in its precincts.

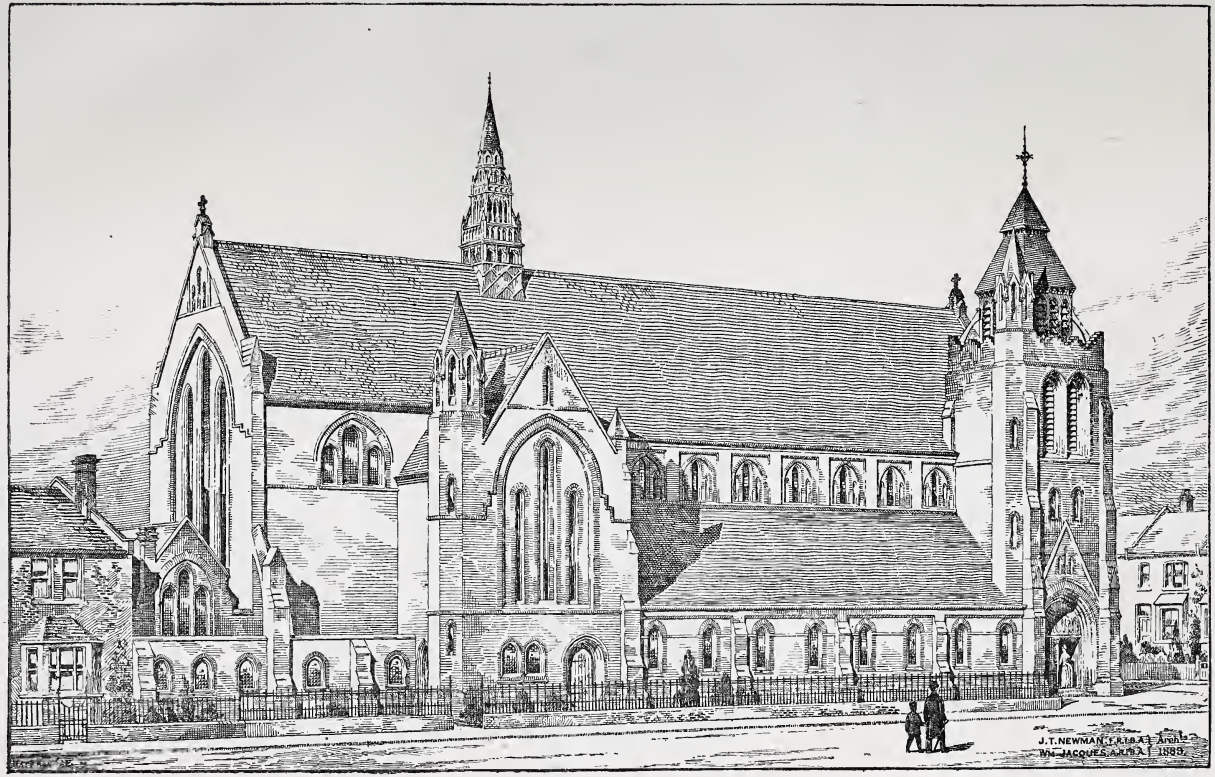
Where are the inhabitants for whom the City Churches were built? They have been either driven by the increase in the area of purely business buildings, by high rents, or attracted by railway conveniences to the suburbs; and the clergy of a district like Leytonstone may be pardoned the thought that, could there only be an equitable division, the endowments of the great City Churches ought with justice to follow the population in its exodus from the City. Not the least vast of the living tidal rivers which daily flow and ebb in the City, is that which finds its way every morning to Bishopsgate and Liverpool Street by the channel of the Great Eastern Railway. It is fed by streams from Forest Gate, Leyton, and Leytonstone.

The history of Leytonstone is a history of the brave endeavour of the Church to keep pace with the increase of population. Leytonstone has sprung up entirely in the last fifty years, an offshoot of the old parish of Leyton. The first effort was a schoolroom (the maiden attempt of the late Sir G. Gilbert Scott), which was used for services. Then came the present Church of S. John's, Leytonstone (considered at the time a triumph of Gothic architecture). Both these buildings were due to the efforts of the late William Cotton, a great benefactor to Eastern London (one of the founders of the Incorporated Church Building Society), and a few like-minded Churchmen. But with the railway and workmen's trains, whole streets sprang up like the mushroom growth of fairy rings. It would have been a hopeless task for the local Churchmen to have attempted to cope with the needs of such an influx—part of the 350,000 inhabitants of "London over the border." But the Bishop of S. Alban's Fund for the last twelve years has set itself boldly to the task. The parish of S. John's has been subdivided until there are now four districts cut off from it, each with a large and increasing population.

S. Margaret's is one of these districts. It lies just within reach

of the stations from which workmen's trains are run, and consequently a large population of artizans and second-class clerks has been attracted, to the number of over 5000. For their spiritual needs there is only a small iron Church capable of seating 250. An early morning service for children helps to give more room at 11 a.m. for adults, and a mission-room—formerly a shop—is open with two services in the evening. Even with this relief the Church is packed to the utmost limits of compression, in spite of the device of utilizing the gangway by means of a hinged seat. With a population of this extent, and ready for increased Church accommodation, the urgent necessity of erecting a permanent Church is very evident. The design shows the proposed building, which will seat over 800. The pressing need for it has been strikingly admitted by the large grant of £1500 made by the Bishop of S. Alban's Fund, in spite of the many calls on its resources, and by that of £250 by the Incorporated Church Building Society. The working-class population have given what they can, and with a few liberal gifts the amount collected and promised has been raised to £3500. About £2000 is still required, and a great effort will be made to obtain this before beginning the work, so that the whole may be proceeded with at once, and so expenses lessened, and that there may be no burden of debt to cripple the work when the Church is opened. But if this is to be done there must be help forthcoming from the outside.

It has been felt that the first duty is to erect the fabric of the Church free of debt, and with this object in view the architects have dispensed with costly stonework and ornament in their designs. Of secondary but almost equal urgency, as all who have worked in a similar district well know, is the erection of a parish-room, with class-rooms, &c., for the social and educational side of parish work. These have not, however, been suffered to wait for suitable houseroom. In the little mission-room and house adjoining it a large and successful lads' club has been in operation for over a year, with nearly 100 members on the books. Here, too, the boys' Sunday-school is held, and two mothers' meetings every week. The girls are obliged to use



S. MARGARET'S, LEYTONSTONE, ESSEX.

the iron Church—a painful necessity which necessarily hampers to some extent Church work and Church teaching; and for the infants a small cottage adjoining the temporary Church has lately been rented. In this cottage a girls' club is held, and two rooms elsewhere have been lately opened as a reading-room and club-room for men.

For all these purposes, and for soup-kitchen, temperance society, and Band of Hope expenses, the money is contributed locally in spite of the comparative poverty of the inhabitants of the district. Those who help themselves have the best claim to the help of others.

Reviews, Notices, &c.

Sermons, by T. F. Crosse, D.C.L., late Vicar of Holy Trinity, Hastings, and Canon of Chichester (Rivingtons). These plain and practical addresses will be welcomed in print by many who heard them delivered in the Church or Cathedral where for a long succession of years the form and voice of their author were so familiar, and whose life was endeared to a large number of his hearers. There is no pretence at high-flown oratory, or great learning, but the writer has evidently kept himself abreast of the thought of the day, and his utterances seem well adapted to the circumstances and occasions of their delivery.

The members of our Church are indebted—in common with the parishioners of S. Matthias, Malvern Link—to the Rev. Canon W. C. E. Newbolt (Principal of the Ely Theological College) for *The Voice of the Prayer-book* (Rivingtons), a small volume of spiritual addresses, in which the writer makes the Prayer-book speak with no uncertain sound, but with a voice of melody, to the devotional reader, for whom he primarily writes. In the way of instruction, too, something has been advanced. Perhaps we might single out the chapter on the Athanasian Creed, where the common objections are simply answered. "All truth has its damnatory clause appended to it for cases of neglect. Our life, our human life here, may depend on the possession of the right knowledge of the truth at the right moment. Let a man, for instance, sever an artery when no help is near" (page 31).

We commend the book to parents and godparents as a useful gift-book, and to all who desire to know and love their Prayer-book, and so to use it as to bring its teaching to bear on the practice of every-day life.

John Hannah, a Clerical Sketch, by J. H. Overton (Rivingtons). To all who had the happiness of knowing this able man, such a memorial of him will be most welcome, while those to whom he has only been known by report will learn by it how much can be accomplished by an earnest and God-fearing man, even though the greater part of his work was, as his biographer owns, "against the grain."

Selections from the Writings of Isaac Williams, B.D. (Rivingtons). The singular beauty of these extracts should recommend them to all who care for sacred literature. At the end of the prose extracts are some charming sacred poems. The whole volume breathes a spirit of most excellent piety and devotion.

Quarterly List of Amounts received, from all Sources, in aid of the Church Building Society.

*** The letter *O* denotes Offertory or Collection; *M*, Meeting; *S*, Subscription; *D*, Donation; *L*, Legacy; *A*, Association remittance; *I*, Interest or Dividends; M.B.F., for Mission Buildings Fund.

1890.	Office List.			
Jan. 7	Anonymous (B) ... *S*	£10	10	0
22	Phabyn, Rev. J. F. S., the late..... *L*	500	0	0
24	G. R. C. ..... *S*	1	1	0
27	Grahamstown, the Ven. the Archdeacon of ..... *S*	1	1	0
	J. M. of B. ..... *D*	1	0	0
Feb. 13	Warner Fund ..... *D*	5	15	11
	Ditto (M.B.F.) *D*	5	15	11
Mar. 7	Collins, Miss Margaret..... *S*	100	0	0
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	Canterbury.			
Jan. 1	Blakiston, Rev. R. Milburn..... *S*	1	1	0
	Ditto (M.B.F.)...*S*	1	1	0
	Carr, Rev. T. W. *S*	1	1	0
6	Malden, Rev. B. S. *S*	1	1	0
	Blore, Rev. G. J., D.D. *S*	1	1	0
7	Hallward, Rev. T. W. O. ..... *S*	0	10	0
8	Clabon, Mrs..... *S*	0	10	0
10	Patterson, Rev. R. *S*	1	1	0
13	Wigram, L., Esq. *D*	5	5	0
14	Shafto-Eden, T. D. Esq. ..... *S*	1	1	0
	Reynardson, Rev. G. B. ..... *S*	1	0	0
	Petlay, R. C., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
15	Hunt, Rev. R. S. *S*	1	10	0
18	Woodnesborough (1889) ..... *O*	0	10	0
Feb. 12	Hilton, Dr. T. D. *S*	1	1	0
Mar. 5	Canterbury Diocesan *A*	87	5	10
10	Croydon, S. Augustine's..... *O*	0	1	2
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	York.			
Jan. 1	York, the Lord Archbishop of ... *S*	3	3	0

1890.	London.			
Jan. 1	Croswell, H., Esq. *S*	£1	0	0
	Gibbs, H. Martin, Esq. ..... *S*	1	1	0
	Colchester, Lord...*S*	2	2	0
	Balfour, Miss M. G. *S*	1	1	0
	Macarthur, Rev. J. *S*	1	1	0
	Ross, Rev. J. L. ...*S*	1	1	0
	Bacon, Mrs. C. C. *S*	1	1	0
	Seddon, J. P., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
	Wyatt, Captain G. Nevile ..... *S*	1	1	0
3	Dewick, Rev. E. S. *S*	3	3	0
	Chisholm, Mrs. ...*S*	2	2	0
6	Stamford Brook, S. Mary..... *O*	3	18	0
	Harris, Mrs. A. G. *S*	1	0	0
	Cazenove, Rev. Canon ..... *S*	1	1	0
	Ditto (M.B.F.) *S*	1	1	0
	Morland, W. C. Esq. *S*	5	0	0
	Halford - Adcock, Rev. H. H. ..... *S*	1	1	0
	Bolton, T., Esq. (M.B.F.) ..... *S*	2	2	0
	London, the Lord Bishop of ..... *S*	10	0	0
	Riddell, Sir W. B., Bart. ..... *S*	5	0	0
	Sotheby, Admiral Sir E. S., K.C.B. ...*S*	1	0	0
	Bevan, B. Esq..... *S*	1	1	0
7	Downe, Dowager Viscountess ..... *S*	1	1	0
	Hoare, H. Gerard, Esq. ..... *S*	2	2	0
	Veysie, Miss P. G. *S*	1	1	0
	Strickland, A. de L., Esq. ..... *S*	2	2	0
	Clutterbuck, Mrs. L. *S*	1	1	0
	Marsham, Hon. R. *S*	1	1	0
	Wilson, Miss ..... *S*	1	1	0
	Wilson, Miss A. S. *S*	1	1	0
	Hakewill, Mrs. ...*S*	1	1	0
8	Foster, Miss M. H. *S*	1	1	0
	Ditto (M.B.F.) *S*	1	1	0
9	Hilton, J., Esq., (M.B.F.) ..... *D*	20	0	0
10	Old Street, S. Luke's (1889) ..... *A*	2	0	0
14	Scott, J. O., Esq....*S*	1	1	0

1890.	**London** (*continued*).			
Jan. 14	Biddulph, G.T., Esq. *S*	£1	1	0
	Coplestone, Mrs....*S*	1	1	0
	Isaacson, R. F., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
	Miller, Rev. G. ...*S*	1	1	0
	Hessey, Ven. Archdeacon .....*S*	1	1	0
	Anderdon, W. M., Esq. .....*S*	1	1	0
15	Perceval, Miss F. E. *S*	1	1	0
	Perceval, Miss L. *S*	1	1	0
	Pearson, J. L., Esq. R.A. .....*S*	1	1	0
	Street, A. E., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
	Tomlinson, W. E.M., Esq., M.P. .....*S*	2	2	0
	Talbot, J. G., Esq., M.P. .....*S*	1	1	0
16	Daubeney, General Sir H.C.B., G.C.B. *S*	1	1	0
	Carpenter, R.H., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
	Heberden, Rev. W. *S*	5	0	0
17	Windsor-Clive, Lt.-Col. the Hon. G. H. W. .....*S*	2	0	0
	Cokayne, G.E., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
	Browell, E. M., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
	Baird, Rev. J. .....*S*	1	1	0
20	Humphry, Mrs. ...*S*	5	0	0
	Latimer Road, Holy Trinity .....*O*	1	3	11
	France, J. F., Esq. *S*	5	5	0
	West, Rev. Dr. R. T. *S*	1	1	0
	Gosling, F., Esq....*S*	1	1	0
	Hawkins, Mrs. Cæsar *S*	1	1	0
	Davies-Colley, N., Esq. ....S	1	1	0
	Legge, The Hon. Mrs. H. .....*S*	2	0	0
21	Powis, Earl of .....*S*	5	5	0
	Woods, E. G., Esq. (1889) .....*S*	0	10	6
24	Wickens, Miss .....*S*	2	2	0
30	Thesiger, Hon. E., C.B. .....*D*	5	0	0
Feb. 6	Clarke, Somers, Esq. *S*	1	1	0
	France, Miss M.A. *S*	1	1	0
12	Gunnersbury, S. James *O*	1	2	7
15	Sharpe, J. C., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
27	Addington, Lord... *S*	1	1	0
	France, J. F., Esq. (M.B.F.) .....*D*	10	10	0

1890.	**London** (*continued*).			
Mar. 3	Old Brentford, S. George (1889)....*O*	£2	0	0
6	North Kensington, S. Helen's (1889) *O*	1	6	9
1	Shaw-Stewart, J. A. Esq. .....*S*	2	2	0
17	Tottenham, S. Mary *O*	2	9	9
20	Lowry, Lieut.-Gen. R. W., C.B.....*S*	1	1	0
		165	16	6

Durham.

Jan. 6	Cosgrave, Rev. W. F. *S*	2	2	0
9	Westoe, S. Michael (1889) .....*O*	3	2	5
15	Ryhope .....*O*	2	2	0
Feb. 28	Elwick Hall.....*O*	0	15	5
Mar. 6	Bishop Auckland, Parish Church (1889) *O*	1	15	11
	Bishop Auckland, S. Ann's Chapel (1889) *O*	2	17	6
		12	15	3

Winchester.

Jan. 1	Jacob, Rev. Canon *S*	0	10	6
	Portsea, S. Mary...*O*	2	2	6
	Medlicott, Rev. W. E. *S*	1	0	0
	Sykes, Rev. W. ...*S*	2	2	0
2	Macnamara, Rev. T.B. *S*	1	1	0
6	Hood, Honble. Mrs. Grosvenor .....*S*	1	1	0
	Hyde, F. C., Esq. *S*	5	0	0
7	Buttemer, Rev. Archdall .....*S*	3	3	0
9	Maynard, Mrs .....*S*	1	1	0
10	Charrington, Miss *S*	1	1	0
	Charrington, Miss M. *S*	2	2	0
17	Stocker, Miss E. J. *S*	0	10	0
20	Watson, Rev. C. K. (M.B.F.) .....*S*	1	1	0
	Heathcote, Rev. G.W. *S*	1	1	0
24	Wickham, W., Esq. *S*	0	10	6
27	Powell, Arthur, Esq., (M.B.F.) .....*D*	21	0	0
Feb. 19	Southsea, S. Jude...*O*	16	5	7
26	Hunter, Mark W., Esq. *D*	5	5	0
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		Bangor.			
Jan.	14	Bangor, the Lord Bishop of .....*S*	2	2	0
		Bath and Wells.			
Jan.	7	Wells, the Very Rev. the Dean of .....*S*	2	2	0
	8	Landor, Mrs. C. ...*S*	1	1	0
	15	Gillum, Rev. S. G. *S*	1	1	0
	20	Methuen, Rev. T. P. *S*	1	1	0
	30	Sandford, Mrs.....*S*	1	1	0
			6	6	0
		Carlisle.			
Jan.	2	Platt, Miss .....*S*	2	2	0
	6	Carlisle, the Lord Bishop of .....*S*	3	3	0
	15	Harrison, Rev. J. *S*	0	5	0
		Middleton.....*O*	0	18	3
			6	8	3
		Chester.			
Jan.	1	Chester, the Lord Bishop of .....*S*	1	1	0
	3	Bebington, (1889) *A* Feilden, Rev. Canon *S*	1	1	0
		Feilden, Miss ...*S*	0	5	0
		Johnson, Miss ...*S*	0	10	0
		Jones, Mrs. R. ...*S*	0	5	0
		Nicholson, H. H. Esq. .....*S*	1	1	0
		Urmson, Miss ...*S*	1	1	0
		Wignall, W. B., Esq. .....*S*	1	1	0
	25	Rodger, the Misses *S*	1	0	0
	30	Witton .....*O*	1	0	0
Mar.	17	Bebington.....*O*	7	13	9
			15	18	9
		Chichester.			
Jan.	2	Ellman, Rev. E. B. *S*	5	0	0
		Ellman, Miss .....*S*	1	0	0
	3	Foster, Rev. R. ...*S*	1	0	0
		Mudge, Mrs.....*S*	1	1	0
	6	Cardale, Rev. E. T. *S*	1	1	0
		Coote, Mrs. R. Carleton .....*S*	1	1	0
		Cubitt, Rev. C. ...*S*	4	4	0
		Field, Rev. E.....*S*	1	1	0
		Stone, Mrs. C.....*S*	1	0	0
		Fraser, Rev. J.....*S*	1	1	0
		Chichester, the Lord Bishop of .....*S*	1	1	0
	7	Danvers, J. F., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
		Read, Rev. T. F. R. *S*	1	1	0

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		Chichester (*continued*).			
Jan.	14	Goring, Rev. J. ...*S*	10	0	0
		Ditto (M.B.F.) *S*	10	0	0
	17	Frampton, Mrs. ...*S*	1	1	0
	20	Lane, H. C., Esq. *S*	2	2	0
		Blencowe, Mrs. B.S. *S*	1	1	0
	22	Courthope, G. C. Esq. .....*S*	3	3	0
	28	Walker, Rev. R. H. *S*	1	0	0
Feb.	4	Groombridge, S. Thomas.....*O*	0	14	0
	6	Powell, Rev. Clement *S*	2	2	0
	26	Worthing, Holy Trinity .....*O*	3	6	1
			55	1	1
		Ely.			
Jan.	1	Ely, the Lord Bishop of .....*S*	2	0	0
	3	Wright, Mr. (M.B.F.) 1889 .....*S*	0	2	6
		Coldham, S. Etheldreda (1889) ...*O*	1	6	0
		Peter, Rev. R. G. *S*	1	1	0
	6	Conybeare, Rev. J. W. E. .....*S*	0	10	6
		Russell, Rev. H., B.D. *S*	2	2	0
		Bathurst, Ven. Archdeacon... .....*S*	1	0	0
	8	Haviland, Rev. A.C. *S*	5	5	0
		Woodruff, Rev. Canon T. .....*S*	10	0	0
	9	Cheere, Rev. E. ...*S*	1	1	0
	24	Cambridge U.C.A. (1889) .....*A*			
		Atkinson, Rev. Dr. *S*	2	2	0
		Liveing, Prof. ...*S*	1	0	0
		Mortlock, E. J. Esq. *S*	1	1	0
		Phelps, Rev. Dr. *S*	1	1	0
		Powell, Rev. G. A. *S*	1	1	0
		Rayner, Rev. Dr. *S*	1	1	0
		Teversham Church *O*	1	1	3
		Church Aid Society *A*	18	11	9
	29	Aldham .....*O*	0	10	10
Feb.	10	Williams, Rev. Philip *S*	1	1	0
Mar.	14	Braithwaite, Mrs. ...*S*	1	1	0
			53	19	10

1890.		Exeter.	£		
Jan.	1	Blakiston, Rev. R. *S*	2	2	0
		Ditto (M.B.F.) *S*	1	1	0
		Churchill, Miss H. *S*	1	1	0
	2	Ley, Rev. J. *S*	1	1	0
		Ley, Miss S. J. *S*	1	1	0
	6	Elderton, Mrs. Somerset... *S*	0	10	0
		Acland, Sir T. D., Bart. *S*	2	2	0
	7	Champernowne, Rev. W. *S*	1	1	0
	14	Coleridge, Rt. Hon. Lord *S*	5	0	0
		Guille, Rev. G. de Carteret *S*	1	1	0
	16	James, T., Esq. ... *S*	1	1	0
	17	Tagert, Rev. S. W. *S*	1	1	0
		Northlew *O*	1	0	0
Feb.	3	Parker, C. Eyre, Esq. *S*	1	1	0
	14	Exeter, S. James... *O*	2	0	0
	18	Taylor, Rev. C. H. 1888, 1889, 1890 *S*	1	10	0
	27	Shelly, John, Esq. *S*	1	1	0
Mar.	14	Dalwood ..... *O*	0	10	10
	18	Thornton, Rev. G.W. *S*	0	10	0
		Holsworthy *O*	0	13	0
			26	7	10

		Gloucester and Bristol.			
Jan.	1	Perceval, Captain E. A. *S*	2	2	0
		Liddell, Rev. W. W. *S*	2	2	0
	7	Kington, S. Michael *O*	0	18	6
	9	Wright, Rev. A. ... *S*	1	1	0
	10	Gloucester and Bristol, Lord Bishop of... *S*	2	2	0
	14	Poole, Mrs. *S*	1	1	0
	15	Chippenham, Parish Church *O*	4	9	6
		Chippenham, S. Peter's Mission Chapel *O*	0	10	6
	16	Royce, Rev. D. *S*	1	1	0
	31	The Leigh *O*	0	7	0
		Grewcock, Mrs. ... *S*	5	0	0
Feb.	6	Charfield *O*	0	15	10
Mar.	26	Slaughterford *O*	0	10	0
		Ackers, B. St. John, Esq. *S*	2	2	0
			24	2	4

1890.		Hereford.	£		
Jan.	1	Tarrington (1889) *A*	0	10	0
	3	Cobbold, Rev. Preb. R. H. *S*	0	10	6
	6	Oldham, Rev. A. L. *S*	1	1	0
		Ditto (M.B.F.) *S*	1	1	0
	7	Lewis, R., Esq. *S*	0	10	6
		Pope, Rev. A. *S*	0	10	6
		Maddison Ven. Archdeacon *S*	1	1	0
	8	Palin, Rev. E. *S*	0	10	6
	22	Hereford Diocesan *A*	20	0	0
	23	Whitaker, Rev. Canon G. H. *S*	1	1	0
Feb.	5	Wickens, Miss K.... *S*	5	5	0
	18	Eaton Bishop *O*	0	19	1
Mar.	5	Ballingham *O*	0	10	0
			33	10	1

		Lichfield.			
Jan.	6	Heale, Rev. W. J. *S*	1	1	0
		Lonsdale, Rev. Canon J. G. *S*	1	1	0
		Beech, Rev. H. E. *S*	2	2	0
	14	Challinor, J., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
	15	Lichfield, the Lord Bishop of *S*	2	2	0
	20	Lichfield, the Dean of *S*	1	1	0
	30	Walsall, S. Andrew's *O*	1	0	0
Mar.	26	Walsall, S. Michael and All Angels... *O*	1	10	0
			10	18	0

		Lincoln.			
Jan.	1	Lincoln, the Lord Bishop of *S*	3	3	0
	6	Smyth, Rev. J. G. *S*	2	2	0
	7	Venables, Rev. Precentor *S*	1	0	0
	9	Willis, the Misses *S*	2	2	0
		Curtois, Rev. P. ... *S*	1	1	0
	10	Lowe, Rev. C. B.... *S*	1	1	0
	23	Johnson, T. M. S., Esq. *S*	5	0	0
	30	Manthorpe *O*	0	10	6
		Sutton, Rev. M. J. (1888-89) *S*	2	2	0
Feb.	13	Honington *O*	0	14	10
	28	Frith, Rev. W. A. *S*	1	1	0
Mar.	25	Welby *O*	2	12	3
			22	9	7

1890.					
		Liverpool.			
Mar.	4	Parr Mount, Holy Trinity (S. Helen's) *O*	£1	0	0
		Llandaff.			
Jan.	1	Nantyglo, Holy Trinity (1889) ...*O*	0	10	6
	7	Crawley, Ven. Archdeacon..... *S*	1	1	0
		Watson, Rev. W. (M.B.F.) .....*S*	1	1	0
		Bruce, Rev. Canon *S*	1	1	0
	20	Llandaff, the Dean of .....*S*	1	1	0
		Williams, Rev. W. H. *S*	1	1	0
Feb.	19	Monmouth, S. Mary's *O*	2	0	0
			7	15	6
		Manchester.			
Jan.	9	Eckersley, J.C., Esq. *S*	2	2	0
Feb.	4	Darwen, S. Barnabas .....*O*	0	16	3
	27	Chadderton, S. Luke's (1888) .....*O*	1	17	0
		Chadderton, S. Luke's (1889) .....*O*	4	11	6
Mar.	26	Leyland, S. Ambrose *O*	3	11	0
			12	17	9
		Newcastle.			
Jan.	1	Newcastle, the Lord Bishop of .....*S*	1	1	0
	6	Cruddas, Rev. Canon G. .....*S*	5	0	0
		Dwarris, Rev. B. E. *S*	1	1	0
Feb.	15	Mason, Rev. Canon J. M. .....*S*	1	1	0
			8	3	0
		Norwich.			
Jan.	2	Hedley, Rev. Canon T. .....*S*	2	2	0
	4	Limpenhoe .....*O*	0	5	0
	6	Lawrence, Rev. C. D. *S*	2	2	0
	9	Westhorp, S., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
	15	Dowson, E. T., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
	29	Brown, Rev. Canon *S*	1	1	0
Feb.	12	Sedgeford.....*O*	0	12	0
	13	Beckett, Rev. W. T. *S*	1	1	0
		Kennaway, Rev. C. L. *S*	2	2	0
	27	Ipswich, S. Michael *O*	1	9	6
			12	16	6

1890.					
		Oxford.			
Jan.	1	Oxford, Christ Church Cathedral ..... *O*	£3	1	3
		Trotter, Mrs. H. E.B. *S*	5	5	0
	4	Beck, Rev. C. Coker *S*	1	1	0
	6	Hartley, Rev. R....*S*	1	1	0
		Ditto (M.B.F.)....*S*	1	1	0
		Lee, Rev. T. W. ...*S*	1	1	0
	7	Eton College.....*S*	5	5	0
		Slade, Rev. G. F. *S*	1	1	0
	10	Bellamy, Rev. Dr. *S*	2	2	0
	14	Wilder, Rev. J.....*S*	2	2	0
		Wilder, H. B., Esq..*S*	2	2	0
		Crowthorne .....*O*	2	6	7
	17	Tremenheere, H. S., Esq. .....*S*	2	2	0
		Harvey, Rev. H. A. *S*	1	1	0
		Harvey, Mrs. H. A. *S*	0	10	6
	21	Barnett, H., Esq. *D*	5	0	0
	22	Oxford U.C.A. (1889) *A*	1	10	0
	30	Blandy, H. B., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
		Blandy, Mrs. H. B. *S*	1	1	0
		Over Winchendon *O*	0	11	6
Feb.	3	Chamberlain, Rev. Canon T. (M.B.F.) *S*	2	2	0
	5	Wigginton .....*O*	0	8	8
	7	Checkendon .....*O*	0	6	9
	24	Walford, Mrs. Oliver *S*	1	1	0
Mar.	4	High Wycombe ...*O*	4	9	9
	20	Saunderton .....*O*	0	6	6
			49	0	6
		Peterborough.			
Jan.	2	Irchester (1889) ...*O*	1	13	10
	8	Mitchinson, Right Rev. Bishop .....*S*	1	1	0
	14	Irby, Hon. and Rev. L. C. R.....*S*	1	1	0
	20	Heygate, W. U., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
	24	Browne, E. M., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
Feb.	8	Buttanshaw, Rev. F. *S*	1	1	0
		Buttanshaw, Miss...*S*	0	10	0
Mar.	12	Broughton Astley...*O*	1	8	0
			8	16	10
		Ripon.			
Feb.	8	Bowstead, Rev. C. J. K. *S*	0	5	0
Mar.	6	Collins, Mrs.....*S*	1	1	0
			1	6	0

1890.			£	s.	d.
		Rochester.			
Jan.	1	Beaufort, Rev. D. A. *S*	2	0	0
	3	Goodrich, the Misses *S*	1	11	6
	6	Plumstead, S. John (1889) ..... *O*	2	8	7
		Oldham, Rev. G. T. *S*	1	1	0
		Robinson, Rev. J. E. *S*	1	1	0
		Stapylton, Rev. Canon W. Chetwynd *S*	1	1	0
	7	Rochester, the Lord Bishop of ..... *S*	2	2	0
		Brooke, Rev. C. E. *S*	2	2	0
		Robson, Miss K.... *D*	5	0	0
	14	Phillott, Miss ..... *S*	1	1	0
	15	Wyatt-Smith, Rev. C. *S*	1	1	0
		Ditto (M.B.F.) *S*	1	1	0
	16	Burney, Ven. Archdeacon ..... *S*	2	2	0
	20	Spencer-Phillips, J., Esq. (M.B.F.) ... *S*	2	2	0
	25	Penfold, Miss ..... *D*	0	5	0
	29	Caterham Valley, S. John's (1889) ... *O*	10	0	0
	30	Otway, Mrs. ..... *S*	1	1	0
Feb.	3	Catford, S. Lawrence *O*	2	3	9
Mar.	19	Dorman's Land .... *O*	2	14	4
			41	18	2
		S. Alban's.			
Jan.	3	Williams, J. G., Esq. (1889)..... *S*	1	1	0
	6	Menet, Rev. J. ..... *S*	1	1	0
		Bailey, Rev. H. R. *S*	1	1	0
		Parker, Rev. Dr. J. D. ..... *S*	1	1	0
		Hill, Rev. Canon E. *S*	1	1	0
		Mayor, Rev. Canon R. B..... *S*	1	1	0
	8	Wigginton (1889)... *O*	1	0	0
	9	Robins, J. W., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
		Williams, Miss ..... *S*	2	2	0
	15	Jones, Rev. C. A.... *S*	1	1	0
		Ainslie, Miss..... *S*	2	2	0
		Ditto (M.B.F.) *S*	2	2	0
	17	Lowndes, G. Alan, Esq. (M.B.F.) ... *S*	3	3	0
	21	Way, Mrs. G. A. ... *S*	1	1	0
	28	Steeple ..... *O*	0	4	0
	29	Ainslie, Rev. Canon *S*	1	1	0
		Ditto (M.B.F.) *D*	1	1	0

1890.			£	s.	d.
		S. Alban's (*continued*).			
Feb.	6	Woodford ..... *O*	2	4	2
	10	Dimsdale, Baron, M.P. ..... *S*	1	1	0
	15	Copeland, Miss..... *S*	1	1	0
	24	Bennington ..... *O*	1	10	0
Mar.	13	Perry, Rev. Canon T. W..... *S*	1	1	0
	25	Loughton, S. Mary's *O*	2	2	0
	26	Pattiswick..... *O*	0	13	6
			13	16	8
		Salisbury.			
Jan.	1	Morrice, Rev. Canon W. D..... *S*	2	2	0
	14	Bouverie, Hon. and Rev. B. P..... *S*	1	1	0
		Eldon, Earl of ..... *S*	10	0	0
Feb.	3	Wickham, Rev. Gordon ..... *D*	5	5	0
			18	8	0
		S. Asaph.			
Jan.	6	Harris, Rev. H. ... *S*	1	1	0
	15	Feilden, Rev. O. M. *S*	0	10	6
			1	11	6
		S. David's.			
Jan.	1	Llanbedr Painscastle (1889) ..... *O*	0	3	9
		Adamson, Rev. A. G. (1888, 1889) ..... *S*	0	10	0
		Williams, Rev. Preb. Garnons (1889) ... *S*	1	1	0
		Evans, Rev. J. J. (1889)..... *S*	1	1	0
	6	S. David's, the Lord Bishop of ..... *S*	3	3	0
	22	Williams, Rev. W. *S*	0	10	6
	23	Pembroke, S. Michael *O*	1	6	0
		Swansea, S. Gabriel *O*	3	1	0
Mar.	11	Mydrim..... ... *O*	1	6	0
	26	S. Lawrence (1888) *O*	0	8	5
		Ditto (1889) ... *O*	0	6	3
		Griffith, Rev. Gethin W. (1889, 1890) *S*	1	1	0
		Taylor, Rev. Jackson *S*	1	1	0
			14	18	11

1890.					
	Southwell.				
Jan.	1	Freer, Rev. T. H....*S*	£1	1	0
	2	Slater, Rev. Leonard *S*	2	2	0
	6	Southwell, the Lord Bishop of .....*S*	1	1	0
	13	Normanton-on-Soar*O*	1	2	9
		Wood, Miss A. A. *S*	1	1	0
	18	Macfarlane, Mrs. E. M. *D*	0	5	0
Mar.	18	West Stockwith ...*O*	0	19	4
			7	12	1
	Truro.				
Jan.	2	Flint, Rev. S. R. (1886-89) .....*S*	2	2	0
	1	Mount-Edgcumbe, Earl of.....*S*	2	2	0
	7	Moore, Rev. Canon J. H. .....*S*	1	1	0
	27	St. Levan, Lord ...*S*	1	1	0
	30	Ventris, Rev. H. L. (1889, 1890) .....*S*	2	2	0
		Perrin, Rev. G. ...*S*	0	10	6
Feb.	3	Peter, John L., Esq., (1888-89-90).....*S*	1	11	6
		Collins, Mrs. Digby *S*	1	0	0
		St. German, Earl of *S*	1	1	0
		Polwhele, Rev. E. *S*	0	10	0
	4	Bush, Rev. Canon *S*	1	1	0
		C.L.S.C.(In Memoriam) *S*	1	1	0
		Fortescue, Colonel *S*	3	3	0
	6	Kenwyn (1889) ...*O*	0	18	9
		S. Clement's (1889) *O*	0	15	6
		Dixon, R., Esq., (1889) .....*S*	1	1	0
		Helston (1889).....*O*	1	2	8
		Ladock (1889).....*O*	1	13	2
		S. Allen (1889) ...*O*	0	5	0
		Worlledge, Rev. Canon (1889) ...*S*	1	1	0
		Hermon, Rev. G. E. (1889) .....*S*	3	0	0
		Lefroy, Gen. Sir J. H., C.B. (1889) ...*S*	1	0	0

1890.					
	Truro (*continued.*)				
Feb.	6	Pedler, Miss (1889) *S*	£1	0	0
		C. L. S. C. (In Memoriam)(1889)*S*	1	1	0
	27	Mevagissey .....*O*	0	11	0
		Temple .....*O*	0	3	1
Mar.	3	Madron.....*O*	1	15	0
	18	S. Veryan .....*O*	1	15	10
			35	9	0
	Wakefield.				
Feb.	27	East Ardsley .....*O*	0	13	0
	Worcester.				
Jan.	1	Blundell, Rev. J....*S*	0	5	0
	3	Webster, Miss C....*S*	2	2	0
	4	Walters, W. Esq. (1889) .....*S*	1	1	0
	7	Clifford, Rev. J., D.D. F.G.S. .....*S*	1	1	0
	10	Adams, Rev. D.C.O. *S*	1	1	0
	21	Upton-on-Severn, (1889) .....*O*	5	0	0
		Bernard, E. W., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
	22	Bathurst, Rev. L. C.*S*	1	1	0
	25	Chesshire, Rev. J. Stanley .....*S*	1	1	0
		Ditto (M.B.F.) ...*D*	1	1	0
Feb.	5	The Tything, S. Mary Magdalene .. ...*O*	3	0	0
		Halesowen .....*O*	2	2	0
	8	Baldwin, A., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
Mar.	13	Salt, Dr. H.....*S*	1	1	0
	14	Amphlett, Rev. J....*D*	2	2	0
	17	Newland, S. Leonard (M.B.F.) .....*O*	0	18	2
	18	Inkberrow, S. Peter's *O*	1	10	6
		Cookhill, S. Paul's*O*	1	3	3
			27	11	11

Special Appeals.

LONGFIELD CHURCH.—Enlarged at a cost of £1100. Notwithstanding every effort, £75 is still owing to builders. Proper prayer-desk, choir-benches, vestry fittings, and kneelers are wanting. The Church is filled by the villagers. Help is earnestly asked. Address Rector, or Churchwardens, Longfield, near Dartford, Kent.

THE CHURCH AMONG THE LEAD-MINERS.—URGENT APPEAL.—Will our fellow-Christians at this Eastertide, for love of their Master's Church, send a contribution, no matter how small, towards restoring a poor Church among the Cumberland hills?

Our reasons for venturing to appeal to our fellow-Churchmen are :—

1. Our district is large. The chapelry of Garrigill is situated in the parish of Alston, and contains about 930 inhabitants, scattered over an area of 21,000 acres—lead-miners, earning wages of between 12*s*. 6*d*. and 16*s*. a week, or small (with few exceptions) sheep-farmers.

2. The Church is in a most deplorable condition. Exterior barnlike, roof unsound, interior damp and comfortless, pews narrow; vestry, pulpit, font, reading-desk, and Parsonage pew all within the altar rails.

3. We have done our best to help ourselves. Out of nearly every house in our chapelry have we received a contribution. Men have promised to give labour out of work-hours free, and about £300 has been raised among the inhabitants themselves.

The restoration, owing to the out-of-the-way neighbourhood, is estimated to cost fully £1300. We have received or had promised £600, and our resources seem ended.

Contributions may be sent to the Hon. Treasurer, J. Dickinson, Esq., Solicitor, Alston, Cumberland; or to the Hon. Secretary, Rev. P. Lee, Garrigill Parsonage, Alston, Cumberland.

BLAENGARW, GARW VALLEY, BRIDGEND, NEAR CARDIFF.—An URGENT APPEAL in aid of the Funds towards building a Church in the above colliery district.

It has been decided to build a Church at Blaengarw, Garw Valley. The Valley has developed wonderfully of late, and it is essentially necessary that the Church should make immediate and adequate provision for this rapidly-increasing population.

There are the strongest possible reasons why a Church should be immediately erected at Blaengarw. The room in which we worship now is only lent us temporarily: the accommodation it affords is very inadequate, and the building altogether is very uninviting.

The proposed Church is to cost about £1500, and we make a Public Appeal for help on the following grounds :—

(1) We are doing our utmost to help ourselves. (2) Most of our landlords have already helped us most generously. We have none but working people (colliers) in the district. (4) Our people—about 3000, which will soon be double this number—are all newly come; they have but little interest in the district as yet, and consequently cannot be expected to contribute very much. (6) There are at present five clergy working in the parish, and one more greatly needed, and the whole of the income proceeding from tithes last year was only £79 net.

YOU ARE EARNESTLY ASKED TO HELP US.

Contributions will be thankfully received, and acknowledged by the undersigned.

(*Signed*) D. PUGH, Rector.
J. JONES,
J. M. RAYMOND,
D. JONES,
G. BLACKWALL, } Curates.
J. DAVIES,
JOHN POWELL, } Churchwardens.

Bettws Rectory, Bridgend, Cardiff.

FRANK MOON, Esq., Banker, National Bank of Wales, Bridgend.

NEW CHURCH FOR THE EXTREME EAST OF LONDON. A working-class population of 5000 and no Church.

Proposed Permanent Church for the Mission District of S. Margaret's, Leytonstone, E., under the Bishop of S. Alban's Fund.

This appeal is made to all who value the privileges of their own place of worship, to help in the erection of a Church for the Mission District of S. Margaret's, Leytonstone, containing a working-class population of about 5000, but having no permanent Church or parish-room.

A site for the permanent Church has been purchased by the Bishop of S. Alban's Fund, and £3000 has been collected for the Church. Over £2000 is still required, the greater part of which must, owing to the circumstances of the population, be raised outside the district.

The temporary iron Church, only providing accommodation for 250, is quite insufficient for the congregation and Sunday-schools.

The district has the usual organizations connected with a Parish Church, including Sunday-schools numbering 400, Mothers' Meetings, Temperance Society, Band of Hope, District Visitors' Society, Soup Kitchen, Girls' Club, Youths' and Lads' Club and Night School.

The current expenses of the Mission are entirely defrayed by offertories and voluntary contributions. No building debt will be incurred. The contract will be taken by sections, as the necessary funds are raised.

Any Donations will be gratefully received by N. Powell, Esq., Hon. Treasurer to Building Committee, Luctons, Buckhurst Hill, Essex; Rev. Canon Procter, Hon. Sec. Bishop of S. Alban's Fund, Thorley Rectory, Bishop's Stortford, Herts.; and Rev. Edward Sant, Curate-in-Charge, S. Margaret's, Montague Road, Leytonstone, E.

S. MICHAEL'S CHURCH, IPSWICH.—Population, 4100, almost wholly composed of the working classes. The nave and transepts have been built at a cost of £4751 11*s.* 4*d.*, exclusive of purchase of site (£1000), and a Fabric Repair Fund of £500. A chancel, organ chamber, and vestry are now being added, at a cost of £1390, on land given for the purpose. The Church when finished will seat 700. £1070 has been given or promised. We earnestly desire to see an organ, or part of an organ erected by the time the chancel is finished (August or September next), toward which and toward the Chancel Fund we earnestly solicit help, which may be sent to the Vicar, 73, Christchurch Street, Ipswich.

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NEW SERIES.

The Seventy-Second Anniversary of the Society.

(*From the Guardian.*)

THE Annual General Court of this Society was held at 7, Dean's Yard, Westminster, on Thursday afternoon, May 22nd, under the presidency of the Lord Bishop of Southwell, who was supported by R. Foster, Esq., *Vice-President*, the Rev. Canons Cazenove, T. W. Perry, Chetwynd Stapylton, the Rev. C. A. Jones, the Rev. C. Wyatt-Smith, Lord Robartes, General Gillilan, Colonel the Hon. G. H. W. Windsor-Clive, Mr. C. T. Arnold, Mr. E. Thornton, Mr. J. F. France, Mr. James Hilton, and others.

After opening the Meeting with prayer, the Secretary read the following letter :—

Lambeth Palace, S.E.
May 15th, 1890.

DEAR MR. BLAKISTON,

Although I am unfortunately prevented from being present at the Annual Meeting of the Incorporated Church Building Society this year, I am still anxious to support the appeal of the Committee.

I know that the diminution of the Society's income is largely due to the growth of diocesan societies, and is not a sign of declining zeal, but I doubt if ever the new developments of diocesan energy keep pace with the ever-increasing demands of the growth of our population. We cannot, therefore, I am sure, allow the effort of the central society, which supplements and re-enforces the local societies and strengthens weak places, in any degree to be relaxed, and I trust that many loyal Churchmen who have as yet taken no part in the work may be aroused to become, through this Society, the builders and restorers of churches.

With best wishes for the Society, and for a blessing on the anniversary,—Believe me, yours very truly,

(Signed) EDW : CANTUAR :

Letters expressing regret at their inability to attend had also been received from the Duke of Newcastle, the Earl of Dartmouth, the Lord Bishops of London, Carlisle, Chester, and Wakefield, Lord Addington, J. S. Talbot, Esq., M.P., the Archdeacon of Essex, H. Gerard Hoare, Esq. (*Treasurer*), and others.

The Secretary then read the Annual Report of the Committee which has been separately published.

The BISHOP of SOUTHWELL first referred to an amusing mistake which had occurred in the *Times* in the announcement of that meeting, it being stated that the Bishop of "Southwark" would preside. His lordship said he could assure his old pupil, the editor of the *Times*, that if the Bishop of Southwark was present to fulfil his engagement he (Dr. Ridding) would not press his own claims to preside. The first remark he had to make was upon the change of habitation in which they met for the first time. Septuagenarians of a respectable character did not move without reason, and he trusted that their change of offices would prove a benefit to the Society. Even if the amounts of money received were not as great as they might have been, the business of the Society did not necessarily diminish in volume nor in the attention required, and he had no doubt that their excellent Secretary would find plenty of opportunity for work in these new quarters. The Society, as they knew, dated its spiritual activity from that interesting date to which they were often told by some people that they would have to look in order to decide what property in churches they were to consider belonged to them as a Church. It was incorporated at about the same moment that he was incorporated himself, and one of his first recollections was those Royal letters which used to remind them that it was one of the three leading representatives of great principles which the Church by a happy process of evolution developed into organs of activity out of its unagglomerated atoms and called societies. That principle had very much developed, and as Church societies had increased in numbers the three principal ones had very much ceased to hold that prominent position which they

formerly did. It might be true, as they had learned from mythology, that parents might be expected to be devoured by their own children, but a good parent would not desire to cause its children indigestion whilst they were healthy, but would rejoice that its life-blood was nourishing the unity, though locally separated, that its principles had prevailed, and that its work was being done and distributed in ways to touch more people; and so he trusted that they would in that Society recognize what he had had occasion sometimes to say in the wider interest of the Church in general, that he hoped that the fact that the work of the Church, and of societies like that, was being taken up more widely, would be heartily accepted. Yet he was glad to hear from the Archbishop his expression of opinion in favour of a central body, and that local bodies were unwise that thought that the central parent should be devoured from off the face of the earth. It was not only a central crowning body, whereas parochial or archidiaconal societies were apt to become localized and dwarfed in their smaller organizations, it was not only that it combined all of them in the great national interest of the whole Church; but it was of great value to have some central representative of the broader interests in these Church matters, which should cover the whole Church and nation, and unite all these separate bodies in one organization. They had heard it said of another great society—the National Society—that it had done its work, that its time was over, and that it might as well perform the "happy despatch." But wiser counsels said that the time might come again when this great association would be found most useful, and now who was there amongst them who did not see what a great work that central National Society was doing for them at this moment, and that without it the local scattered agencies would be paralyzed in meeting the opposition which this central organization was meeting for them? Let them with regard to a society like this— a great parent society—answer when they heard remarks of the kind to which he had alluded, that its time and work was not over. They had heard in the report of a great work in which that society might be a great central

adviser—viz. in the restoration of a great church like S. Michael's, Coventry, which, whether it be in the future a cathedral or not, was one of the finest churches in the country, and showed what might be done for many others like it. Let them reflect for one moment in these days, when courts of conciliation were presented as an invaluable recipe for restoring peace throughout the country, what a field might be found for it. Suppose, although he trembled to suggest it, that S. Alban's Cathedral was referred to a council of conciliation, what council could better bell that master of bells than this Society, with its perfect freedom from partisanship. S. Alban's, however, was but a specimen of what happened to every one of them every day. He did not suppose there was anything more ticklish than being interested in church restoration, and the questions which arose were almost internecine, because there was no possibility of settling them, and every one contended for his own opinion. If they could get an acceptance of such a court of conciliation as that they would find it a great benefit and relief. He knew very well that this principle seemed to exist—that debased churchwardenism once existing was too sacred to be allowed to be removed, because it was interesting history, and that because there was some history made into shape it should not be allowed to us in the present century to make history too, even though it might be better history than that presented before. And so upon these questions he thought that an established body of experts such as that society should be might very fairly be invoked between those who might desire to make fresh history and those who, whilst they distinctly condemned past history, desired that it should be preserved because it was history, as though one generation had a right to monopolize history for all time to come and to allow none fresh to be made. He should be glad to appeal to this Society if the Secretary would only assure him that they were prepared to accept such appeals and to adjudicate upon them. It was in the power of the Society by its magazine, the *Church Builder*, to spread information and to give examples which might be extended to those who were doubtful, and who

desired advice and help, and he believed that those who would be thus benefited would include a large number beyond the range of their own Church, and, although they called it the Church Building Society, it would, he thought, as they saw every day taking place, bring those of other bodies to imitate and accept those principles of art which they seemed day by day more fully to appreciate. The fact of these principles being brought before them through a society which specially reflected the opinions of no particular school or party in the Church might bring them closer together, as they were drawing closer in many other thoughts, too. Then he desired to welcome the passage which spoke of Mission buildings. It was certain that in these days of rapidly-growing populations it was a great race, and it was a question whether they could keep up with the demand for providing buildings for worship for the growing population. The great problem before them was how those buildings were to be run up architecturally and economically, and of such a character as they could esteem and respect, under the limitations which were required for church buildings—viz. that they should not be in debt, but permanent, and under the same authorities as parish churches, and how they were to enter into the race with people who could put up what buildings they liked, and who were able to raise funds by financial methods which partook somewhat of business speculations. He did not blame other bodies for this, but rather praised them for it; but the fact remained that those engaged in church extension were not allowed to build upon such conditions. He wanted a society like that to devote the energies it might have and the brain-power at its command to solve the problem how they were to get a building for 500 people such as they could accept for £1000, and then he hoped when that was solved they would be able to relegate those wretched and inartistic buildings of iron to the iron age, that the stone or brick age might return, and that buildings might be provided without ignorant waste, and which would satisfy them. They did not want ornamented buildings, but solid frames of dignified appearance, showing that they were places of solemnity, but with nothing trivial or mean

about them. He hoped that Society had its library and records of all the works in which it had taken part, and was able to look back fifty years and to see what had been done under its influence. If they looked at the pictures of what things were and what they were now, if such records be preserved, he did not think there would be any question raised as to whether the restorations or buildings erected had been a gain or a loss. Most of them remembered S. Paul's as it was when they were boys, when they went there and vowed they never would go into such a place again, even before they were taught any æsthetics. Most of them had seen Salisbury, Exeter, Bristol, Worcester, Chester, Ely, and Oxford, and last, though not least, the three which were opened in one year two years ago—Truro, Southwell, and Newcastle. And when they thought of these buildings, which presented the worship of God in an entirely different form from what it was presented in their boyhood, he said that a society which had taken so important a part in the restoration and reformation of buildings like that ought to be maintained, if only for its work in the past. If 1818 be a date from which they might have to look back to see what had been done since then, he supposed that other dioceses would have a similar record to his own, where he found that that Society had assisted more than 200 out of the 500 parishes either in the matter of building or repairing since that time. Every day this work was going on, and he did not think that there were twenty churches in his two counties of Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire which could now be said to need to be restored or renewed. He could not say that these churches had all been thrown on this Society, but this Society had helped and led in the way they knew they helped and led, and though he could not say he had been able to do much for this Society, he always advised his clergy to form a branch of this Society, because it called forth much local assistance. He wished that Southwell stood higher on the list, and he did not know whether to be glad or sorry when he found that they were not so bad as some others, and whilst he thought they must be the worst of all, he found that there were eight or nine below them. But the amount they gave was very small,

and the consequence was they could not get the help they might otherwise get. Though one of the archdeaconries in his diocese had a society of its own, of which it was very proud, he hoped that the other archdeaconry would form not a local society, or an archidiaconal one, but a local board of the Incorporated Society, which he believed would be found the most profitable way of developing local help. The leading people in his diocese, however, did give very liberally for church restoration and building, and he should be sorry to stop that by allowing that Society to take it off their hands. In Nottinghamshire two churches were being entirely built by Earl Cowper and the Earl of Carnarvon, and last Eastertide he opened four, two mainly restored by Earl Manvers and two by a ruridecanal institution for repairing churches in the deanery, an idea which he commended to Rural Deans. He did not think there was any church in the Duke of Devonshire's hands which had not been restored by him. On his first tour in his diocese he found a church in which the ceiling and the floor were almost meeting. The patron, who was the Archdeacon, had restored it most beautifully almost at his own cost. He went to a little church in the Wolds which was divided into two with boards, and a structure having the appearance of a kitchen-dresser on one side and on the east side a ploughed field, and at the east end a Communion-table standing by itself in the divided part upon a ploughed field. He had only to state what he had seen, and it was restored by a lady in the neighbourhood. When he saw all this going on he could not help saying that the individual interest which people showed in churches had not yet disappeared, nor was liberality in maintaining the fabrics yet lost, although they knew that the great present need was to supply funds for the rapid growth of population. One special point in the report was the help which had been given to school or college Missions in building churches. Those who knew as much about that as he did knew that this second stage of building a church for one of these Missions meant a great deal. It meant permanence, and the solidity of what seemed to have been ephemeral work. He remembered, and never should forget, the blank look and the

inability to understand the real meaning of the work with which he was met by good Bishop Jackson, when he asked him if he would accept a Mission from Winchester College. He looked almost as if he (the speaker) had proposed a revolution as great as some people regarded Sisterhoods thirty years ago and Brotherhoods now. It was no blame to him ; Bishop Jackson did not know that two such Missions had existed for a generation before, but they were just outside his diocese. Nothing had struck him more in his admiration of the character of Bishop Walsham How than the appreciative promptitude with which he caught up the idea when he visited them, and how he immediately went and stirred up Eton College and Christ Church, Oxford, and all the chief schools and colleges, and created an emulation which had in fifteen years spread so that there was scarcely a school or college that had not got one of these Missions. That new instrument, seized and developed by the genius and activity of Bishop Walsham How, was one in which he felt a strong personal interest, and he was extremely glad that this Society had been able to help to develop this truly valuable instrument. He only wished he could get one of these Missions to work in the large towns in his diocese. The Society had a work of real utility before it, and he called upon them to value it heartily for the assistance which it had given and would give.

Mr. R. FOSTER, in moving the adoption of the report, spoke of the importance of some means being found for giving greater publicity to the work of the Society, and said he often thought that if Convocation or the Bishops would address not only the rich laity, but all classes, on the duty of giving more of their means to the Society, good results would ensue. He did not think they ought to resort to fancy fairs, and still less to screaming farces and lotteries, on behalf of building churches, which was a serious and solemn matter. No doubt a great deal was being done by diocesan societies, but they wanted a central society. If their funds mounted to £60,000, instead of £6,000, they would be able to do a great work. In new churches too many of the seats were labelled as appropriated, and an important matter was that provision should be made for

kneeling, as it was necessary not only to teach people to go to church, but to behave in a devout manner when thy came.

CANON T. W. PERRY seconded the adoption of the report, and said that the Committee were very grateful to his lordship for having drawn attention to the Mission Buildings Fund.

Mr. J. P. SEDDON, Secretary of the Committee of Hon. Consulting Architects, thought it would be a good thing if precedents like that of S. Michael's, Coventry, should be followed. Much had already been done, and more was likely to be done in improving the character of Church architecture by appealing to the clergy, and their gradually coming to understand the purpose for which the Society was established. He thanked the General Committee for their support in cases where they had thought it their duty to report against plans.

Colonel the Hon. G. H. W. WINDSOR-CLIVE moved :—

"That in view of the importance of the objects for which the Incorporated Church Building Society exists—viz. the enlargement, building, and repairing of churches, the provision of Mission buildings, school churches, and hamlet chapels, and holding on trust of repair funds for churches—this meeting is of opinion that the Society deserves the hearty support of Churchmen, and merits larger contributions to its funds to enable the committee to carry out its work in a more effective manner."

Owing to the state of the funds, the Society had had to withhold a great deal of the support which they would like to have given to the building of churches in important centres of population, and it was of the greatest importance that the Society should receive a heartier support in a pecuniary sense than they had obtained for the last few years. It was also of the utmost importance that there should be a proper body to whom Mission buildings should be conveyed, and there should be no cases where these buildings were conveyed simply to individuals.

CANON CHETWYND STAPYLTON said that more stress should be laid on the necessity of hamlet chapels and Mission-rooms which were steps to a higher state of things. They could not expect people to worship intelligently who had never seen a Prayer-book ; but when they were trained in a Mission-hall or Chapel they were enabled to do so. He had seen people who at first could not be persuaded to enter a church who had gone step by step from a Mission-hall to a church. He considered

that this was now almost the most important part of the Society's work. There was a time when the restoration of churches was the most important work, but that had gone by to some extent. He referred to the value of having a consultative body like the Society, and said that these were days in which septuagenarian societies should not be allowed to lapse into the effeteness of old age. They wanted the means to encourage the elasticity of work and the turn of mind which the Christian world was at present taking.

The resolution having been agreed to, CANON CAZENOVE, in moving a vote of thanks to the Bishop of Southwell for presiding, said he could look back to an acquaintance of thirty-eight years with his lordship. In point of fact, the Society was very much of a court of conciliation. Hardly a month passed but a case arose in which they had to arbitrate between the people and the architect. They had saved a great many old churches, and this had often been done at half the cost it would have taken to build a new one. He was sure also that the Society had raised the tone of the architecture of the country, and it would be a mistake to suppose that they had done this by encouraging the erection of costly buildings. He knew of one case in which the society saved a parish nearly half the sum of £10,000 which it was proposed to spend. If his lordship, in any of his Episcopal rambles, found any more churches of which a portion had been converted into a ploughed field, they would do their best to reconvert it into an architectural building.

Mr. E. THORNTON seconded the motion, which was carried with acclamation.

The BISHOP of SOUTHWELL, in reply, spoke of the valuable services rendered by their excellent Secretary, to whom he thought that a portion of the vote of thanks should be given. He should be glad to accept the kindly offer made by his old friend and companion that the Society should arbitrate in some of those difficult questions to which he had already referred. At this moment there was a most debatable church in North Derbyshire, with regard to which a court of conciliation would be most useful. Although money had been left to restore this

building, the parties could not agree as to what should be done as to four inches of wall which was supposed to belong to a very ancient building. Before he sat down he must express the regret which he was sure they all shared in the retirement of Bishop Claughton, one of the former Vice-presidents, who had occupied the chair at an Annual Meeting, and who took great interest in the Society. It was not long ago, too, since they lamented the death of Bishop Lightfoot, whose name was a household word, and who had also presided on a former occasion, and who spoke of the work of the Society in such a manner that his words stood out in the records of the Society as of special interest.

During the proceedings the ballot for the election to fill vacancies on the Committee and officers was announced as follows:—Auditors, Messrs. E. Booker, E. R. Frere (re-elected), and R. W. Brown; Treasurer, Mr. H. Gerard Hoare (re-elected); to fill vacancies on the Committee: the Dean of Lichfield, Canon Erskine Clarke, the Rev. Dr. Cutts, the Rev. C. F. Norman, Mr. J. Boodle, Baron Dimsdale, M.P., Mr. J. F. France, the Hon. R. Strutt (all re-elected), and the Revs. H. E. B: Tro tte and L. L. Sharpe.

The Society's Work.

A MEETING of the Committee of the Society was held at the Society's House, 7, Dean's Yard, Westminster Abbey, London, S.W., on Thursday, April the 17th, 1890, at 2 p.m.

Present—Lieut.-Colonel the Hon. G. H. W. WINDSOR-CLIVE in the Chair.

Lord COLCHESTER.	JOHN BOODLE, Esq.
The Venerable the ARCHDEACON OF ESSEX.	G. ALAN LOWNDES, Esq.
Rev. C. ALFRED JONES.	ATHELSTAN RILEY, Esq.
Rev. C. WYATT-SMITH.	F. H. ROOKE, Esq.

Rev. R. MILBURN BLAKISTON, *Secretary.*

The available balances in hand were:—

General Fund	£1248	£1372
Mission Buildings Fund	124	
"R. M. Fund"		413
Hine Legacy		809

The Finance Report was prepared by the Rev. C. Alfred Jones, the Rev. C. Wyatt-Smith, G. Alan Lowndes, Esq., and the Rev. R. Milburn Blakiston, Secretary.

The following applications were then considered and dealt with as stated :—

I. Building additional New Churches.

1.—No. 9434.—Beaufort, S. John. Dio. Llandaff.—The population of this parish is 5445, and at present services are held in a mission-room, for which a rent of £7 10*s.* is paid. The accommodation is utterly inadequate to the needs of the neighbourhood. The new Church will hold 253 persons, and 56 seats are to be pew-rented. The estimated cost is £1100. Applicant, Rev. D. J. Llewelyn; Architects, Messrs. Halliday & Anderson, Cardiff.—£60 voted.

2.—No. 9432.—Watford, S. John. Dio. S. Alban's.—The entire population of this parish is 17,000, and this Church is to take the place of the existing temporary one. It will hold 506 persons, and 150 seats are to be pew-rented. The estimated cost is £11,150, and is exclusive of a peal of bells and organ. Applicant, Rev. R. L. James; Architects, Messrs. Christopher & White, London.—£35 voted.

[This grant has since been relinquished.]

II. Rebuilding on same or new Site.

3.—No. 9291.—Brechfa, S. Teilo, near Nantgaredig. Dio. S. David's.—A grant was given in 1848 of £50 towards repairing this Church. The area and population of the parish are small, but the Church supplies the wants of the extreme ends of three large parishes, the respective Churches of which are too far distant to be of any service to the population in those parts. There are no resident gentry, and the population consists chiefly of small peasant farmers and labourers. The S. David's Diocesan Board strongly recommend this case on condition that an ampler specification be provided with a proper form of contract. The Church will hold 119 persons; all seats free. Estimated cost, £986. Applicant, Rev. D. M. Jones; Architect, Mr. E. H. L. Barker, Hereford.—£20 voted.

4.—No. 9423.—Lingen, S. Michael's. Dio. Hereford.—The Church was erected in 1680 and repaired in 1860. The interior is very damp, especially on the north side. The tower was built early in this century, and the belfry contains two old bells and a small one. Total accommodation when rebuilt, 104 seats, all free. Estimated cost, £1360. Applicant, Rev. L. Clint; Architect, Mr. H. Curzon, London.—£35 voted.

III. Enlarging, or Reseating with Repairs.

5.—No. 9436.—Berrick Salome, S. Helen, near Wallingford. Dio. Oxford.—The Church was erected about 1200. This is a very poor parish, the only residents besides three farmers being labouring people. The population is only 105. Estimated cost, £698. Applicant, Rev. G. B. Brown; Architect, Mr. A. M. Mowbray, Oxford.

6.—No. 9429.—Bridestowe, S. Bride. Dio. Exeter.—The date of erection of this Church is unknown; it was last repaired in 1866. The proposed work is but a first instalment of the restoration; the roofs should all be renewed, being poor deal ones, with plaster ceilings and cornices in nave and aisles. The nave seats are in a very bad state, but are not now to be touched. Estimated cost, £555. Applicant,

Rev. J. L. Francis; Architects, Messrs. Medley, Fulford, & Harvey, Exeter.—£45 voted.

7.—No. 9443.—CLERKENWELL, S. PETER'S. Dio. London.—It is proposed to carry out the work in two portions:—(*a*) The south aisle, with door and gate, at a cost of £800; (*b*) the transept and south chapel, £1400. There is at present available a sum sufficient to undertake (*a*) forthwith. Applicant, Rev. B. O. Sharp; Architect, Mr. J. C. Hukins, London.—£40 voted.

8.—No. 9385.—CONWIL GAIO, S. CONWILI, near Llandilo. Dio. S. David's.—This Church is one of simple character, having a nave and chancel without break, and a wide south aisle running the whole length. There is a lofty and very massive tower of early character at the west end. The walls and masonry are fairly substantial, but require some repair. The roofs are in bad condition and require thorough repair and reslating, and the inside stucco is unsound. The seating consists of common deal pews with doors, and in bad condition, and the floors are rotten. The S. David's Diocesan Board strongly recommend this case. Estimated cost, £1650. Applicant, Rev. C. Chidlow; Architect, Mr. E. Christian, London.—£30 voted.

9.—No. 9326.—KIFFIG, near Narbeth. Dio. S. David's.—This Church has been in a most disgraceful state for many years. The pews have rotted away, and it is so cold and often so wet as to be unfit for Divine worship. The parish, which is very poor, is without any resident gentry, and almost entirely in the hands of one gentleman. The S. David's Diocesan Board very strongly recommend this case. Estimated cost, £650. Applicant, Rev. O. J. Thomas; Architects, Messrs. Middleton, Prothero, & Phillott, Newport, Mon.—£25 voted.

10.—No. 9409.—LANEHAM, S. PETER. Dio. Southwell.—This parish is inhabited chiefly by agricultural labourers, and is consequently quite poor. It has a population of 305. The estimated cost of reseating is £800. Applicant, Rev. E. Bennett; Architects, Messrs. Somers Clarke & J. T. Micklethwaite, London.—£25 voted.

11.—No. 9290.—LLANDDEW, S. DAVID'S, near Brecon. Dio. S. David's.—This Church was built in the thirteenth century, substantially repaired in 1884 at a cost of £1121. All the fabric except the nave is in thorough repair. Through the dilapidated condition of the nave the congregation is now necessarily crowded into the chancel and under the tower, which is undesirable and inconvenient, so that the restoration of the nave is urgently needed. The S. David's Diocesan Church Building Board recommend this case. Estimated cost, £660. Applicant, Rev. J. L. Davies; Architect, Mr. Ewan Christian, London.—£35 voted.

12.—No. 9435.—RHOSSILI, S. MARY'S, near Swansea. Dio. S. David's.—The Church was erected in the twelfth century, and was last repaired in 1856 at an expense of £500. There are no people of means in the parish and scarcely any in the neighbourhood. The S. David's Diocesan Board recommend this as a very urgent case. Estimated cost, £800. Applicant, Rev. J. P. Lucas; Architect, Mr. E. Christian, London.—£20 voted.

13.—No. 9426.—STOCKWELL, S. ANDREW. Dio. Rochester.—In 1865 the building was converted, at a cost of about £2000, from a Chapel of Ease to Lambeth Parish Church to a District Parish Church. The original chapel only accommodated about 400. Estimated cost £1610. Applicant, Rev. C. E. Escreet; Architect, Mr. A. J. Pilkington, London.—£35 voted.

14.—No. 9431.—TUDHOE GRANGE, S. ANDREW. Dio. Durham.—The present Church was built in 1884, when the Society helped with a grant of £200. The parish is composed of the labouring classes. There are no well-to-do people. The need for

extension is very great. The work of the Church is sorely hindered for want of more accommodation. Estimated cost, £1300. Applicant, Rev. E. Fenton; Architect, Mr. C. Hodgson Fowler, Durham.—£60 voted.

IV. FURTHER AID.

15.—No. 9319.—CLOUGHFOLD, S. JOHN, near Manchester. Dio. Manchester.—Deferred.

Summary, arranged according to Dioceses:—

No. of Grants.	Diocese.	Amount.
1	London	£40
1	Durham	60
1	Exeter	45
1	Hereford	35
1	Llandaff	60
1	Oxford	20
1	Rochester	35
1	S. Alban's	35
5	S. David's	130
1	Southwell	25
14	Total	£485

These grants were voted from the several Funds as follows:—

14	General Fund	£445
	1 Hine Legacy	40
14	Total	£485

A MEETING of the Committee of the Society was held at the Society's House, 7, Dean's Yard, Westminster Abbey, London, S.W., on Thursday, May the 22nd, 1890, at 12 o'clock noon.

Present—The Rev. Canon T. W. PERRY in the Chair.

Rev. Canon CAZENOVE.
Rev. C. ALFRED JONES.
Rev. C. WYATT-SMITH.
Lieut.-Col. the Hon. G. H. W. WINDSOR-CLIVE.
J. F. FRANCE, Esq.
JAMES HILTON, Esq.
EDWARD THORNTON, Esq.
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The available balances in hand were :—

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"R. M. Fund"		433
Hine Legacy		747

The Finance Report was prepared by the Rev. C. Alfred Jones, the Rev. George Miller, Edward Thornton, Esq., and the Rev. R. Milburn Blakiston, Secretary.

The following applications were then considered and dealt with as stated :—

I. Building additional New Churches.

1.—No. 9442.—Meir, Holy Trinity, in the parish of Caverswall, near Longton. Dio. Lichfield.—Withdrawn.

2.—No. 9439.—New Tredegar. Dio. Llandaff.—Deferred.

3.—No. 9338.—Penegroes, Christ Church, in the parish of Llanllyfni. Dio. Bangor.—The district is very poor, as, owing to the great depression in the slate industry, many men are out of employment, and wages are very low. There are no wealthy people, and but very few "well-to-do" people residing in the parish. Special attention should be called to the fact that in a very poor district like Penegroes the poor quarrymen are subscribing £50 towards the proposed new Church. This fact carried great weight with the Bangor Church Building Society. The Church will hold 230; all seats free. Estimated cost, £1200. Applicant, Rev. M. Roberts; Architect, Mr. H. Kennedy, Bangor.—**£45** voted conditionally.

4—No. 9438.—Pontyrhyl, S. Mary, in the parish of Bettws, near Bridgend. Dio. Llandaff.—Pontyrhyl, in the Garw Valley, is a very important place now. The population is 2000. There are four large collieries, and at present the Church accommodation is inadequate. The Church will hold 260 persons; all seats free. Estimated cost, £1060. Applicant, Rev. D. Pugh; Architects, Messrs. Bruton and Williams, Cardiff.—**£35** voted conditionally.

5.—No. 9446.—Tynewydd, in the parish of Ystradyfodwg, near Pontypridd. Dio. Llandaff.—This Church is intended for the three villages of Tynewydd, Blaen-y-cwm, and Blaen Rhondda, and the site is a very eligible one, and very accessible to the three villages. The population, which numbers 4000, is much poorer than lower down the valley. The new Church will hold 331 persons; all seats free. Estimated cost, £1388. Applicant, Rev. W. Lewis; Architect, Mr. E. M. Bruce Vaughan, Cardiff.—**£50** voted.

6.—No. 9421.—Ventnor, S. Alban's. Dio. Winchester.—Deferred.

7.—No. 9450.—Christmas Common, Holy Nativity, in the parish of Watlington. Dio. Oxford.—Withdrawn.

8.—No. 9445.—Grimsbury, S. Leonard, South Banbury. Dio. Oxford.—For years past it has been felt to be one of the greatest needs of North Oxfordshire, as regards the Church of England, that a Church should be provided for the growing district of Grimsbury. At present services are held in the National Schoolroom, now over full. The Church will hold 342 persons; all seats free. Estimated cost, £2750. Applicant, Rev. C. E. G. Jones; Architect, Mr. W. E. Mills, Banbury.—**£50** voted.

II. Enlarging.

9.—No. 9441.—Blackwood, S. Margaret, near Bargoed. Dio. Llandaff.—The nave of this Church was erected in 1876. It is now proposed to add a chancel. The district is a very poor one, and the inhabitants are chiefly composed of colliers and miners. Estimated cost, £1100. Applicant, Rev. S. John; Architect, Mr. M. B. Adams, London.—**£25** voted.

10.—No. 9449.—Morton, S. Paul, near Gainsborough. Dio. Lincoln.—The Church was built in 1844, when the Society helped with a grant of £150. The accommodation is quite insufficient for the congregation at present. Estimated cost, £2850. Applicant, Rev. G. W. Danks; Architects, Messrs. J. T. Micklethwaite and Somers Clarke, London.—**£25** voted.

11.—No. 9425.—Upper Clatford, All Saints, near Andover. Dio. Winchester.—Deferred.

12.—No. 9430.—Wallsend, S. Peter, near Newcastle-on-Tyne. Dio. Newcastle.—The mother Church of this parish is in a deplorable condition; three-decker pulpit and desks and square box pews. Luckily the ceiling is bad, and something must be done in the way of restoration. Removal of gallery will prevent any large addition of seats, but all will henceforth be free. Estimated cost, £3745. Applicant, Rev. J. Henderson; Architects, Messrs. Hicks and Charlewood, Newcastle-on-Tyne. —**50** voted.

III. Reseating and Repairing.

13.—No. 9452.—Aslacton, S. Michael, near Long Stratton. Dio. Norwich.—In 1883 a grant of £20 was voted towards restoring this Church, but the work was never commenced, and the grant was cancelled in November, 1887. Beyond the estimated expense it is desirable that the Saxon tower should be repaired, which is estimated at £50. Estimated cost of repairing the Church £400. Applicant, Rev. A. P. Jollye; Architect, Mr. J. B. Pearce, Norwich.—**£20** voted.

IV. Further Aid.

14.—No. 9319.—Cloughfold, S. John, near Manchester. Dio. Manchester.—Declined.

V. Mission Buildings.

15.—M.B.F., No. 748.—Balsall Heath, S. Paul. Dio. Worcester.—The accommodation which is at present available for religious purposes is wholly inadequate to the population. A service of a plainer nature than that held in most of the surrounding Churches is required to meet the wants of those for whom it is being carried on. This building will hold 500, and the estimated cost is £650. Applicant, Rev. C. C. M. Browne.—**£40** voted.

16.—M.B.F., No. 758.—Battersea, S. Bartholomew, in the parish of S. Philip. Dio. Rochester.—The district for which the building is intended is a large one. The Mission Room will be situate about half a mile from the Parish Church. The building will accommodate 300. Estimated cost, £1000. Applicant, Rev. F. L. Goslett.—**£20** voted.

17.—M.B.F., No. 727.—Darlaston, S. George. Dio. Lichfield.—The number of inhabitants in the whole Parish is 4000, and the Parish Church will be a quarter of a mile distant. The population is very poor. This Mission Church will hold 250 Estimated cost, £470. Applicant, Rev. G. Oliver.—**£20** voted.

18.—M.B.F., No. 741.—POLRUAN, in the parish of Lanteglos-by-Fowey. Dio. Truro.—The Parish Church is one and a half miles distant from Polruan, with its 1100 inhabitants, and the road is extremely hilly. There are no houses rated above £12, and very few even at that sum. Sittings for 300 will be provided. Estimated cost, £1240. Applicant, Rev. J. T. Mugford.—**£30** voted.

19.—M.B.F., No. 743.—S. CLAIR CHAPEL, in the parish of S. Sampson's, Guernsey. Dio. Winchester. There is great need of a Parish Room in the district, which is rapidly growing, and from which the Parish Church is distant about a mile. This building will hold 200. Estimated cost £240. Applicant, Rev. A. E. Carey. —**£20** voted.

Summary, arranged according to Dioceses:—

No. of Grants.	Diocese.	Amount.
1	Winchester	20
1	Bangor	45
1	Lichfield	20
1	Lincoln	25
3	Llandaff	110
1	Newcastle	50
1	Norwich	20
1	Oxford	50
1	Rochester	20
1	Truro	30
1	Worcester	40
13	Total	£430

These grants were voted from the several Funds as follows:—

8	General Fund	£300
5	Mission Buildings Fund	130
13	Total	£430

A MEETING of the Committee of the Society was held at the Society's House, 7, Dean's Yard, Westminster Abbey, London, S.W., on Thursday, June the 19th, 1890, at 2 p.m.

Present—The Venerable the ARCHDEACON of ESSEX in the Chair.

The Rt. Rev. the Lord Bishop of ROCHESTER.
Lord ROBARTES.
Rev. Canon CAZENOVE.
Rev. Canon J. ERSKINE CLARKE.
Rev. C. ALFRED JONES.
Rev. GEORGE MILLER.
Rev. Canon T. W. PERRY.
Rev. LANCELOT L. SHARPE.
Rev. H. E. B. TROTTER.
Lieut.-Col. the Hon. G. H. W. WINDSOR-CLIVE.
J. F. FRANCE, Esq.
F. H. ROOKE, Esq.
EDWARD THORNTON, Esq.
Rev. R. MILBURN BLAKISTON, *Secretary*.

The available balances in hand were :—

General Fund	£733 2	£735
Mission Buildings Fund		
"R.M. Fund"		408
Hine Legacy		727

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The following applications were then considered and dealt with as stated :—

I. BUILDING ADDITIONAL NEW CHURCHES.

1.—No. 9427.—BOOTLE, S. MATTHEW. Dio. Liverpool.—At present there are only 975 free seats in the whole parish of Bootle, which numbers 50,000 people, and S. Matthew's will be the only Church in the neighbourhood entirely free, unappropriated, and open, 560 seats being thus provided. The estimated cost is £5035. Applicant, Rev. A. W. Oliver ; Architects, Messrs. Aldridge and Deacon, Liverpool. **£350** voted from "R.M. Fund."

2.—No. 9453.—HAVERIGG, in the parish of Millom. Dio. Carlisle.—Deferred.

3.—No. 9460.—NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE, S. AUGUSTINE. Dio. Newcastle.—Deferred.

4.—No. 9458.—NEWLAND, S. AUGUSTINE, near Hull. Dio. York.—It is proposed to begin building the eastern half of the Church, including the chancel and part of the nave. The population is now 4000, and is rapidly increasing, and the great bulk lies in the new district. The new Church will hold 800; all seats free. Estimated cost, £6235. Applicant, Rev. J. M. Lambert, LL.D.; Architect, Mr. G. G. Scott, London.—**£20** voted. (The largest sum possible under Rule XXXIII.)

5.—No. 9422.—ORPINGTON, S. ANDREW. Dio. Canterbury.—The parish contains a population of 3050, 2000 of whom live in the new district. The whole Church will accommodate 601; all seats free, and the cost is estimated at £5370. The Church will be built in two portions, the first portion at a cost of about £3000. Applicant, Rev. J. N. Heale; Architect, Mr. J. E. Newberry, London.—**£200** voted.

II. Rebuilding.

6.—No. 9448.—Mosser, S. Philip, near Cockermouth. Dio. Carlisle.—The date of this Church's erection was 1773. For some time previously to 1883 Mosser was only a chapelry, but steps were taken by the Vicar of Brixham to cut off two townships from his parish and form a new parish for Mosser, now containing about 500 inhabitants; in 1881 there were only seventy inhabitants. Estimated cost, £1000. Applicant, Rev. T. P. Moorhouse; Architect, Mr. C. F. Ferguson, Carlisle.—£10 voted.

III. Enlarging, or Reseating with Repairs.

7.—No. 9459.—Arlington, S. Pancras, near Polegate. Dio. Chichester.—The Church was erected soon after the Conquest. The restoration will be carried out in the most careful manner; every feature and detail of ancient work will be most jealously cared for and preserved. Estimated cost, £1506. Applicant, Rev. T. Bunston; Architects, Messsrs. Medland and Powell, London.—£40 voted.

8.—No. 9457.—Ludham, S. Catherine, near Norwich.—The date of erection of this Church was A.D. 1450. The roof of the Church (nave and aisles) was made good last year at a cost of £1089. The reseating is the second section of the work, and is greatly needed. Estimated cost, £740. Applicant, Rev. J. J. Willmott; Architect, Mr. E. Christian, London.—£40 voted.

9.—No. 9425.—Upper Clatford, All Saints', near Andover. Dio. Winchester.—Deferred.

10.—No. 9455.—Wittersham, St. John, near Ashford. Dio. Canterbury.—The date of erection of this Church is unknown. The Church was last repaired in 1844 at a cost of £1800. There are no resident gentlemen in the parish. Estimated cost, £800. Applicant, Rev. S. H. Parkes; Architect, Mr. E. H. Parkes, London.—£50 voted.

A large number of applications for aid from the Mission Buildings Fund were deferred because that Fund is at present exhausted.

Summary, arranged according to Dioceses:—

No. of Grants.	Diocese.	Amount.
2	Canterbury	£250
1	York	20
1	Carlisle	10
1	Chichester	40
1	Liverpool	350
1	Newcastle	75
1	Norwich	40
8	Total	£785

These grants were voted from the several Funds as follows:—

8	General Fund	£435
	1 R.M. Fund	350
8	Total	£785

S. Andrew, Orpington.

ORPINGTON is an extensive parish, and its population, which at the last census was 3050, has since been rapidly increasing, and numbers at the present time over 4000 souls; of these about 2000, none of them rich, and many very poor, reside in that part for which the new Church is desired.

The old Parish Church accommodates only 250, and cannot be enlarged; it is also at a considerable distance from those parts of the parish known as the Building Fields and Fordcroft, where most of the poorer inhabitants dwell.

About twenty years ago an Iron Mission Church, serving also as a school, was erected for this district. It has done its work in gathering together the nucleus of a regular congregation, is completely worn out, and must now be replaced by a worthier building.

A convenient site, with the consent of the Archbishop, has been presented by the Vicar, by an exchange of glebe, effected with the assistance of Colonel Lake. It is well situated on the main road from Orpington to S. Mary Cray.

Plans for the permanent Church have been prepared by Messrs. Hide & Newberry, of 121, Bishopsgate Street. As will be seen by the illustration, the style chosen is that of the early part of the thirteenth century (first pointed), and all elaborate detail and expensive stonework have been studiously avoided.

The Church will consist of a nave and lofty aisles under one roof, with a small south transept. The chancel is rather less in width than the nave, but of the same height. A small chapel for weekday services is provided on the south side of chancel, and the organ-chamber and vestry, with heating vault under, are on the north side. The nave is divided into five bays, and small shafts attached to the piers are carried up to support the tie-beams of roof; these shafts serve also to divide the plain wall surface over the nave arcade into panels, which will be very suitable for colour decoration at some future time. The tower is at the south-west corner of the Church, and forms a porch to

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SOUTH EAST VIEW OF PROPOSED CHURCH.
St ANDREW, ORPINGTON.

the south aisle. The spire is to be of wooden construction, covered with oak shingles, after the manner of many of our old Kentish Churches. The walls throughout are to be of brick, with stone dressings, and the roofs of Memel fir, covered on the outside with red plain tiles.

The building will accommodate 630 persons, and is estimated to cost £5000, excluding the tower and spire, and north porch, but including all necessary fittings, which are to be of a simple character.

It is highly desirable, for economical as well as other reasons, that the whole Church should be completed at once, but in the event of the Committee being unable to raise sufficient funds to justify their commencing the entire building, a first portion will be erected capable of holding 250 to 300 persons, at a cost of £3000.

Some generous subscriptions, extending over three years, have been promised in the parish, but at present not more than £1700 can be counted on.

It may be well to add that since the above was written the Incorporated Church Building Society have promised a grant of £200, the Canterbury Diocesan Society £125, and the Ecclesiastical Commissioners £50. Nearly £3000 is still required, and a great effort will be made to obtain this before the work is begun; but help must be forthcoming from outside the parish to raise so large a sum.

Reviews, Notices, &c.

Practical Reflections on the Psalms, with a Preface by Rev. Canon Liddon, D.D. (Longmans). A similar work, dealing with every verse of the New Testament, was issued some years ago by the same anonymous author, prefaced in like manner by the eminent scholar and theologian who fathers the present volume. To any who have used the former publication their expectations will not here be disappointed. Every verse is taken separately, and its moral and practical use unfolded in a few lines, with the object of presenting "some slight taste" of the "great banquet" of "guidance, relief, and refreshment" which are found within them, and to pour forth some "drops" of the "overflowing well of Christian experience gathered round verses of the Psalms." The author uses the Prayer-book version of the Psalter, as being more familiar to most people, though not always so accurately rendering the

meaning of the original Hebrew. A reference to his treatment of the fifty-first Psalm exemplifies in a marked manner the deep sense of humble, devout reverence which pervades the whole work. It is a very valuable addition to our devotional literature.

Of a wholly different character, yet scarcely less valuable, is *The Soul in Conflict* (Longmans), a practical examination of some difficulties and duties of the spiritual life by the Rev. Marshall Tweddall, Vicar of S. Saviour's, Paddington. The short chapters which compose this work are admirably suited for daily study. We have rarely met with a volume of this character which is so full of suggestive thoughts, and which puts the trials and temptations which meet one in daily life in so clear and practical a light. The chapter on "Thoroughness" is not the work of a dogmatizer, but is evidently the outcome of the thoughtful, reflective mind of one who has had an experimental knowledge of the experiences of others' souls, and their trials and difficulties. It is a book that may well be referred to over and over again, as likely to comfort and help in times of trouble and perplexity.

We are glad to welcome a new and cheaper edition of the Life of *Christopher Wordsworth*, Bishop of Lincoln (Longmans), by Canon Overton and Miss Wordsworth. Few men who have adorned the Episcopal Bench of the English Church have had a better right to a biography than the subject of this memoir, and few have had such diversified gifts, and achieved such pre-eminent attainments. The life of this great man is well drawn out in the volume before us, and we are given an excellent picture of the marvellous purity and simplicity of the Bishop's character. Although he was a man of such profound scholarship, and of the most extensive reading over a vast field of letters, yet the charm of personal intercourse with him was so great, that the scholar seemed lost in the man; and this trait of character is well sustained in his biography, which, while touching upon his learning in no uncertain way, yet does it in such a way as not to weary any ordinary reader of no remarkable literary proficiency. Young men might well read this work to their great interest and edification.

Quarterly List of Amounts received, from all Sources, in aid of the Church Building Society.

*** The letter *O* denotes Offertory or Collection; *M*, Meeting; *S*, Subscription; *D*, Donation; *L*, Legacy; *A*, Association remittance; *I*, Interest or Dividends; M.B.F., for Mission Buildings Fund.

1890.	Office List.			
April	3	Brown, Rev. J. (a thankoffering) *D*	£250	0 0
May	7	Peters, Rev. T., the late..... *L*	200	0 0
	13	Collins, Miss Mary *S*	100	0 0
	20	"Neo" ..... *S*	0	5 0
		K. Q. X..... *D*	100	0 0
			650	5 0

1890.	Canterbury.			
April	3	Ward, J. F., Esq.... *S*	£1	1 0
May	8	Basset, Rev. C..... *S*	0	5 0
	27	Anderson, J. A., Esq. *S*	1	1 0
June	12	Croydon, S. Augustine *O*	0	3 11
			2	10 11

1890. **York.**

June 23	Norton.....*O*	£1	5	0

London.

Mar. 28	Hampton Hill.....*O*	1	0	0
	Lowry, Lieut.-Gen. R. W., C.B.....*S*	1	1	0
April 8	Chiswick, S. Michael *O*	1	14	9
9	East Finchley, Holy Trinity .....*O*	4	0	0
	Finchley, S. Paul's*O*	1	15	9
24	Storrs, Rev. J. (M.B.F.) .....*S*	1	1	0
May 12	Powell, F. S., Esq., M.P.....*D*	10	0	0
13	Tollington Park, S. Saviour's .....*O*	1	2	6
14	Bevan, D. A., Esq.*S*	2	2	0
15	Westminster, S. Mary's .....*O*	1	16	3
	Westminster Abbey *O*	31	15	1
20	Harvey, Rev. C. Musgrave .....*S*	1	1	0
23	Neilson, Claude, Esq., and family.....*S*	1	0	0
	Wagner, Henry, Esq. *D*	20	0	0
29	Spottiswoode, G. A., Esq. .....*S*	1	1	0
June 2	Prescott, H. W., Esq. *S*	5	0	0
4	Lewis, T. Hayter, Esq. .....*D*	5	5	0
	Blomfield, Sir Arthur W. .....*S*	5	0	0
	Twining, Rev. G. B. *S*	1	1	0
14	De Gruchy, W. L., Esq. .....*S*	0	10	6
24	Cobb, Francis, Esq. *S*	1	1	0
		98	7	10

Durham.

May 30	Washington .....*O*	1	15	10

Winchester.

April 8	Crofton, Holy Rood *O*	2	0	0
11	Southampton, S. Mary's (1889) ...*O*	3	3	0

1890. **Winchester** (*continued*).

April 18	Tatham, Rev. G. E. *S*	£2	2	0
25	Woolston, S. Mark *O*	2	4	5
May 1	Farnborough, S. Mark *O*	1	18	4
10	Gibson, Mr. F.....*S*	0	10	8
	Eastleigh .....*O*	2	19	0
28	Coulson, Rev. Canon *S*	1	1	0
		15	18	5

Bangor.

May 20	Trewalchmai .....*O*	0	10	0

Bath and Wells.

April 8	Staple Fitzpaine ...*O*	0	18	0
June 4	Ruddock, Rev. N. H. C. .....*D*	5	0	0
17	Edington .....*O*	1	3	7
	Chilton, Polden ...*O*	0	13	5
27	Bath and Wells Diocesan.....*A*	116	13	0
	Bath and Wells ...*A*	1	11	6
		125	19	6

Carlisle.

April 10	Castlecarrock .....*O*	1	1	7

Chester.

April 11	West Kirby.....*O*	5	5	0

Chichester.

April 2	Newick.....*O*	3	13	2
9	Jones, R. H., Esq. (M.B.F.) .....*S*	1	1	0
15	Oving .....*O*	1	14	6
16	Chichester Diocesan (1889) .....*A*	16	0	0
30	Parr, Rev. J. Owen *S*	1	1	0
June 24	Ingram, Rev. H. M. *S*	2	2	0
	Ditto (M.B.F.) *S*	1	1	0
	Bostock, J. B., Esq. (M.B.F.) .....*D*	5	0	0
		31	12	8

1890.	Ely.			
April 29	Acton .....*O*	£0	14	6
	Leakey, Rev. A. ...*S*	0	10	6
June 3	Broughton.....*O*	0	9	6
24	Kersey .....*O*	1	12	6
		3	7	0

	Exeter.			
April 1	East Ogwell .....*O*	0	15	0
	Trevenen, The Misses *S*	5	0	0
Apr. 23	Poland, Rev. F. W. *S*	1	1	0
28	Islington .....*O*	0	7	9
May 19	Withycombe, Raleigh *O*	0	18	3
29	Lower Brixham, All Saints .....*O*	2	0	0
June 6	Axmouth .....*O*	0	14	3
		10	16	3

	Gloucester and Bristol.			
Mar. 19	Ackers, B. St. John, Esq. .....*S*	2	2	0
May 14	Little, Rev. T. P....*S*	0	10	6
15	Harvey, Rev. A. J. *S*	1	1	0
	Shirehampton .....*O*	3	11	3
	Avonmouth Mission Church .....*O*	1	3	2
June 24	Coleford .....*O*	1	5	0
		9	12	11

	Hereford.			
April 8	Clifford (1889).....*O*	1	10	0
June 12	Wellington .....*O*	0	17	0
		2	7	0

	Lichfield.			
Mar. 31	Hednesford .....*O*	1	3	0
May 10	West Coseley .....*O*	0	17	0
June 2	Leek, All Saints ...*O*	3	16	9
19	Bulkeley-Owen, Rev. T. M.....*S*	2	2	0
		7	18	9

1890.	Lincoln.			
April 29	Pooley, Rev. Canon B.D. .....*S*	£1	0	0
June 17	Lincoln Cathedral *O*	12	0	1
		13	0	1

	Liverpool.			
May 19	Cowley Hill, S. Mark's (S. Helen's) *O*	2	1	7

	Llandaff.			
April 16	Llanmihangel .....*O*	0	9	2
24	Ferndale, Christ Ch. *O*	1	1	0
June 3	Mathern .....*O*	2	4	0
23	Cymmer, S. John..*O*	1	2	9
		4	16	11

	Manchester.			
April 8	Bury (1889) add. to*O*	0	0	5
9	Sale, E., Esq. .....*S*	1	1	0
19	Bamford, S. Michael's *O*	2	9	11
May 16	Whatley .....*O*	0	10	0
June 11	Owens, Rev. F. J...*S*	1	0	0
	Bury, S. Mark.....*O*	1	6	7
		6	7	11

Newcastle.

(*No remittance.*)

	Norwich.			
April 1	Walpole, S. Peter *O*	0	17	10
May 19	Wilkinson, Major C., R.E. .....*S*	1	0	0
28	North Walsham ...*O*	2	10	0
June 7	Fulmodeston .....*O*	0	16	6
19	Howes, Rev. T. G.F. *S*	1	1	0
	Belton .....*O*	1	2	6
		7	7	10

1890. **Oxford.**

Mar.	31	Hungerford Parish Church ..... *O*	£1	0	4
April	9	Ludgarshall ..... *O*	1	19	0
	15	Ommanney, Rev. Preb. G. D. W.... *S*	1	1	0
	26	Reading, S. Luke *O*	4	7	4
	28	Long Crendon ..... *O*	1	4	6
May	15	Mentmore..... *O*	1	12	0
	20	Walford, Rev. W. H. *S*	2	2	0
			13	6	2

Peterborough.

Mar.	31	Northampton, SS. Michael and All Angels ..... *O*	2	7	11

Ripon.

Mar.	27	Geldart, Rev. J. W. *S*	1	1	0
April	2	Hunslet, S. Cuthbert (1889) ..... *O*	0	13	6
May	20	Oakenshaw-cum-Woodlands, S. Andrew..... *O*	0	10	0
			2	4	6

Rochester.

Mar.	27	Camberwell, S. Bartholomew's (1889) *O*	£1	6	6
April	3	Berkeley, Rev. G. W. *S*	1	1	0
	11	Iles, J. A., Esq. ...*S*	1	0	0
	17	Rotherhithe, S. Katharine's ..... *O*	2	5	9
	22	Long Ditton ..... *O*	6	0	0
May	27	Bostock, Miss L. (M.B.F.) ..... *D*	0	5	0
	30	Costeker, Wm., Esq. (M.B.F.) ..... *S*	5	5	0
June	4	Beck, Rev. E. J....*S*	1	1	0
	12	Frindsbury ..... *O*	1	16	0
	27	Peckham, S. Mark *O*	1	8	0
			21	8	3

S. Alban's.

April	1	Curtis, Rev. A. F. (M.B.F.) ..... *S*	0	10	0
		White Notley..... *O*	0	14	9
		Maitland, Rev. J. Whitaker ..... *S*	1	0	0

1890. **S. Alban's** (*continued*).

April	1	Loughton, Parish Church ..... *O*	£4	0	0
	2	Townsend, Rev. C. G. Gretton ...*S*	1	1	0
	10	Laindon ..... *O*	0	5	2
	21	Leavesden ..... *O*	4	3	0
	29	Hallward, Rev. J. L. *S*	1	1	0
May	6	Messing ..... *O*	1	1	2
	19	Shenfield ..... *O*	5	6	0
		Day, Rev. H. J. ...*S*	1	1	0
		Cheshunt ..... *O*	4	16	4
	20	Hempstead ..... *O*	1	1	0
		Chelmsford ..... *O*	8	16	5
	22	Wigginton ..... *O*	1	7	9
June	13	Wakeham, Miss ...*S*	10	10	0
			46	14	7

Salisbury.

April	10	Salisbury, the Lord Bishop of ....*S*	2	2	0
	11	Salisbury Diocesan *A*	45	8	6
May	15	Nelson, Earl .....*S*	1	1	0
June	24	Solway Ash, Holy Trinity .....*O*	1	1	4
			49	12	10

S. Asaph.

April	23	Rhosymedre..... *O*	1	9	10
	24	Llanrwst ..... *O*	0	11	9
May	23	Llansilin ..... *O*	0	15	6
	27	S. Asaph Cathedral *O*	2	0	3
			4	17	4

S. David's.

April	8	Llanfihangel-Geneu-r-Glyn (1889) ...*O*	1	0	0
	15	Felinfoel, Holy Trinity (1889) ...*O*	0	18	6
		Pontyberem, S. John (1889) ..... *O*	0	13	7
	16	Abernant with Convil Elvet..... *O*	0	9	8
June	26	Llanfihangel Ystrad *O*	0	11	3
		Lampeter College Chapel ..... *O*	0	16	6
		Edmondes, Rev. Preb. ..... *S*	1	1	0
			5	10	6

1890.	Southwell.			
May 14	Edale .....*O*	£0	12	7

Truro.

April 16	Sancreed .....*O*	0	15	6
23	Bennett, R. Gully, Esq. (1889) .....*S*	1	1	0
	Collins, G. B., Esq. (1889) .....*S*	0	5	0
	Lanreath .....*O*	1	13	4
26	Buller, J. F., Esq.(the late) .....*S*	2	0	0
	Lefroy, Sir J. H., C.B. (the late)...*S*	1	0	0
	Pedler, Miss .....*S*	1	0	0
30	S. Keyne ..... *O*	0	14	3
May 7	St. Aubyn, J. P., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
20	S. Kew.....*O*	1	2	0
		10	12	1

Wakefield.

(*No remittance.*)

1890.	Worcester.			
April 10	Alder, Rev. H. R...*S*	£2	2	0
29	Broadwas .....*O*	0	11	1
May 27	Great Malvern, Priory Church .....*O*	8	16	3
28	Clifford, Rev. John, D.D.....*D*	0	10	0
	Ditto (M.B.F.) *D*	0	10	0
		12	9	4

Sodor and Man.

(*No remittance.*)

S. ANDREW, ORPINGTON, KENT.

An earnest appeal is made for help towards the erection of this Church, which is to be built in the poorest and most thickly populated part of Orpington.

The temporary Iron Mission Room has been in use twenty years, and is now completely *worn out.*

The new church, which will have 630 *free sittings*, will cost £5000. £1700 has been given or promised in the parish; but if the whole church is to be completed, outside help must be forthcoming.

Subscriptions will be gratefully received and acknowledged by the Hon. Treasurer, Colonel Lake, the Priory, Orpington; the Hon. Secretary, W. S. Allen, Sunnyside, Orpington; or the Vicar, the Rev. J. Newton Heale, the Vicarage, Orpington.

Cheques should be crossed on Messrs. Childs' Bank.

The following letter has been received from His Grace the Archbishop of Canterbury :—

"Lambeth Palace, S.E.

"*May 5th*, 1890.

"Dear Mr. Heale,—I have signed your application to the Incorporated Church Building Society, and am most glad to support your appeal, both to them and to the public, for help towards the building of a permanent Church in the place of the Mission Room hitherto in use at Orpington. The Mission Room has done its work in gathering together the nucleus of a regular congregation, and it is now time it was replaced by a worthier and more permanent building. I am thankful that the need for this is felt, and I trust that the generosity and devotion of those who can supply it will not fail to keep pace with the demand.

"Believe me,

"Yours very truly,

(Signed) "EDW: CANTUAR:"

BLAENGARW, GARW VALLEY, BRIDGEND, NEAR CARDIFF.—An URGENT APPEAL in aid of the Funds towards building a Church in the above colliery district.

It has been decided to build a Church at Blaengarw, Garw Valley. The Valley has developed wonderfully of late, and it is essentially necessary that the Church should make immediate and adequate provision for this rapidly-increasing population.

There are the strongest possible reasons why a Church should be immediately erected at Blaengarw. The room in which we worship now is only lent us temporarily: the accommodation it affords is very inadequate, and the building altogether is very uninviting.

The proposed Church is to cost about £1500, and we make a Public Appeal for help on the following grounds :—

(1) We are doing our utmost to help ourselves. (2) Most of our landlords have already helped us most generously. We have none but working people (colliers) in the district. (4) Our people—about 3000, which will soon be double this number—are all newly come; they have but little interest in the district as yet, and consequently cannot be expected to contribute very much. (6) There are at present five clergy working in the parish, and one more greatly needed, and the whole of the income proceeding from tithes last year was only £79 net.

YOU ARE EARNESTLY ASKED TO HELP US.

Contributions will be thankfully received, and acknowledged by the undersigned.

(*Signed*) D. PUGH, Rector.
J. JONES,
J. M. RAYMOND
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G. BLACKWALL, } Curates.
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JOHN POWELL, } Churchwardens.

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THE CHURCH BUILDER.

NEW SERIES.

The Society's Work.

A MEETING of the Committee of the Society, being the last of the Session, was held at the Society's House, 7, Dean's Yard, Westminster Abbey, London, S.W., on Thursday, July the 17th, 1890, at 2 p.m.

Present—His Grace the LORD ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY, President, in the Chair.

Lord ROBARTES.
The Venerable the ARCHDEACON of ESSEX.
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Rev. R. MILBURN BLAKISTON, *Secretary*.

The available balances in hand were:—

General Fund	£257	£310
Mission Buildings Fund	53	
"R. M. Fund"		57
Hine Legacy		724

The Finance Report was prepared by the Rev. C. Alfred Jones, the Rev. C. Wyatt-Smith, Arthur Powell, Esq., and the Rev. R. Milburn Blakiston, Secretary.

The following applications were then considered and dealt with as stated:—

I. Building additional New Churches.

1.—No. 9471.—Grizebeck, S. Mary, in the parish of Woodland. Dio. Carlisle.—The bulk of the population live three miles from a Church, the hamlet being about equi-distant from Woodland and Kirby Inlest; three-quarters of them live within half a mile of the selected site, the remaining quarter from distances varying from a half to two miles. Great interest in building the new Church has been excited. The item of £130 (for labour, &c.) is the offering chiefly of labouring men. The new Church will hold 180 people. All seats free. The estimated cost is £900.—Applicant, Rev. E. C. Shawfield; Architects, Messrs. J. W. Grundy & Sons, Ulverston.—**£15** voted.

2.—No. 9464.—Llandaff Yard, All Saints', in the parish and Diocese of Llandaff.—Deferred under Rule XXXIII.

3.—No. 9439.—New Tredegar, in the parish of Tredegar. Dio. Llandaff.—Declined.

II. Rebuilding.

4.—No. 9469.—Briton Ferry, S. Mary. Dio. Llandaff.—Deferred under Rule XXXIII.

5.—No. 9424.—Denton S. Mary, near Darlington. Dio. Durham.—The miserable building which it is proposed to pull down was built in 1810, on the site of an ancient 12th century Church, and is so damp that it has been disused for five years except for baptisms and funerals. The new Church will accommodate 100 persons. All seats free. The estimated cost is £1380.—Applicant, Rev. W. Apter; Architect, Mr. J. P. Pritchett, Darlington.—**£15** voted.

6.—No. 9473.—Southwark, S. Saviour's. Dio. Rochester.—This Church was originally erected in the 13th century, but new features were introduced in the 14th and 15th centuries. In 1841 the old nave was destroyed and replaced by a very bad one, with a floor eight feet above the former level. It is now proposed to pull this down and rebuild it. The estimated cost is £26,600, and accommodation will be provided for 774 persons. All seats free.—Applicant, Rev. W. Thompson; Architect, Sir A. W. Blomfield, A.R.A., London.—**£250** voted.

7.—No. 9466.—Walsall, S. Paul. Dio. Lichfield.—The present building was not meant to serve as a Parish Church. It was erected in 1826, and was intended for the use of the schoolboys and their parents. It being chiefly composed of brick covered over with stucco, it is at present probably the ugliest Church in the Diocese. The inhabitants are composed of the manufacturing and mining classes. The Bishop writes: "I am heartily glad that you propose to rebuild your Church; it is the only thing to be done with it." The new Church will hold 578 more persons than the old; the total accommodation being for 950. Estimated cost, £7175.—Applicant, Rev. E. M. Fitzgerald; Architect, Mr. J. L. Pearson, R.A., London.—**£150** voted.

III. Reseating and Repairing.

8.—No. 9470.—Chester, S. Mary, in the parish of S. Bridget. Dio. Chester.—Deferred.

9.—No. 9472.—Mattishall, All Saints', near Dereham. Dio. Norwich.—This Church was last repaired in 1856, when a grant of £60 was made. The present works consist of the complete repair of the fabric, which for many years past

has been in a deplorable condition. It is not proposed to alter the accommodation. The inhabitants are nearly all very poor. Estimated cost, £2238.—Applicant, Rev. A. J. Hunter; Architect, Mr. J. A. Reeve, London.—£40 voted.

IV. Mission Buildings.

10.—M.B.F., No. 713.—Luton, S. Saviour, in the parish of Christ Church. Dio. Ely.—The building now enlarged has been in use for ten years, and is really the Church of S. Saviour's Mission District, with a Curate in charge. There are between 5000 and 6000 inhabitants in the district, nearly all of whom are of the poorer class. The accommodation is for 394. Cost of enlargement, £394.—Applicant, Rev. Dr. Punchard.—£15 voted.

11.—M.B.F., No. 749.—Lakenham, S. Mark.—The need of a Mission House for various parochial purposes has been felt for many years, but hitherto it has been difficult to secure a suitable site. The second floor, of four good rooms, is to be used for Class Rooms, Working Men's Club, Mothers' Meetings, Temperance Meetings, &c. The building will accommodate 180, and the cost is estimated at £650.—Applicant, Rev. R. V. Barker.—£10 voted.

12.—M.B F., No. 757.—Miskin, in the parish of Mountain Ash. Dio. Llandaff.—There are no rich inhabitants in the district, and the bulk are colliers. There will be two services on Sunday, and one on week-days. There is a total population of 13,000, of which 2000 live in this district. The Mission Chapel will hold 300, and is estimated to cost £600.—Applicant, Rev. B. Lloyd.—£15 voted.

13.—M.B.F., No. 759.—Openwoodgate, S. Mark, in the parish of Belper.—The Mission Building will be situate about two miles from the Parish Church. There is a population of 7050 in all, of whom 1000 live in this district. This building will hold 250, and the estimated cost is £800.—Applicant, Rev. F. A. Friend.—£15 voted.

Summary, arranged according to Dioceses:—

No. of Grants.	Diocese.	Amount.
1	Durham	£15
1	Carlisle	15
1	Ely	15
1	Lichfield	150
1	Llandaff	15
2	Norwich	50
1	Rochester	250
1	Southwell	15
9	Total	£525

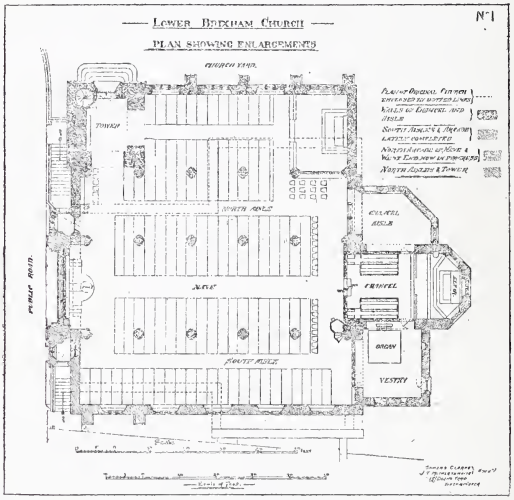
These grants were voted from the several Funds as follows:—

5	General Fund	£470
4	Mission Buildings Fund	55
9	Total	£525

All Saints' Church, Lower Brixham.

EARLY in this century the increase of population made it desirable to divide the old parish of Brixham, and, for the use of the "trawlers," a rectangular box, some 75 ft. long, and 40 ft. wide, was built in Lower Brixham. This was covered in with a queen-post roof, and ceiled flat at the level of the ties, about 27 ft. from the floor.

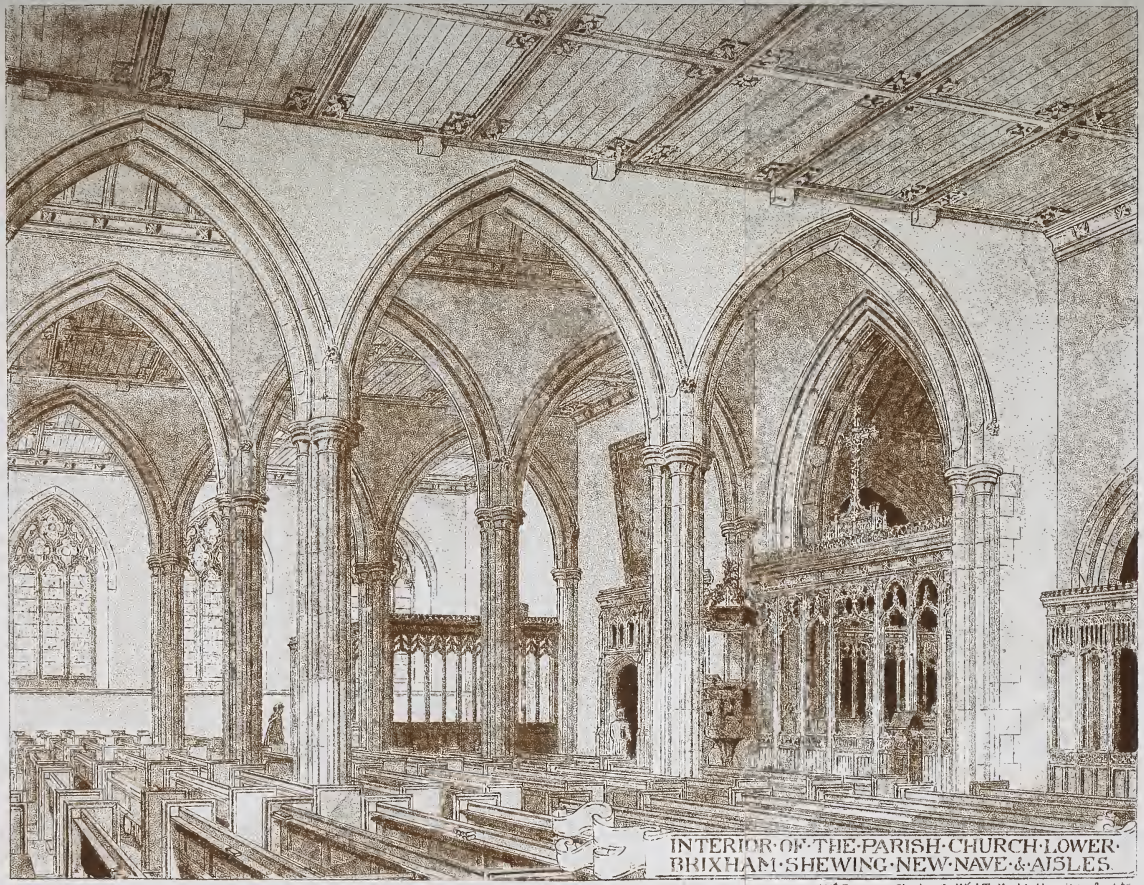
This building was enlarged by transeptal projections, with two stories of galleries, and is shown on the plan by the dotted lines. About twenty years ago a mean little chancel with aisles was added.



PLAN SHOWING ENLARGEMENTS.

The site of the Church falls so rapidly from the chancel to the end of the nave that, whilst the floor of the latter is 10 ft. above the road outside, the eaves of the former are level with the surface of the hill.

It was determined in 1883 to rebuild the nave, but to retain as far as possible the number of seats given in the old Church and galleries. It being impossible to cut further into the hill-



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BRIXHAM·SHEWING·NEW·NAVE·&·AISLES.

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Mr Somers Clarke & Mr J.T. Micklethwaite, Archts

side, or to lengthen the nave by encroaching on the road, the necessary floor space had to be obtained laterally. The funds in hand did not admit of the work being carried out at one time, and it has consequently been necessary so to plan the work that the old building should be left and used in conjunction with the new. The first work was the building of the south arcade, and when the roof was supported by it, the old outside wall was pulled down, and a new one built, completing the south aisle of the future Church. The walling is of local blue limestone from Berry Head. The arcade and other internal stonework are of Ham-hill stone, the window tracery and other stone on the exterior are from the Doulting quarries. The aisle thus formed is 18 ft. 3 in. wide clear internal measurement, and 75 ft. long, and about 27 ft. high. The roof is of iron joists and concrete, covered with Claridge's asphalte. The concrete is ceiled underneath with boarding and moulded ribs.

The work now to be undertaken is the building of the north arcade of the nave, still leaving the old queen-post roof, which will not be removed until later on. The west wall, suited to the pitch of the intended nave roof, is also now to be taken in hand. This contains a seven-light window with flowing decorated tracery.

The north wall of the old Church will still be left standing, as there are not sufficient funds in hand to admit of the aisles being finished at once.

When the nave is roofed, the existing chancel arch,—a very lean and unsatisfactory work,—will be masked by a new wall and arch, which will carry the gable end of the nave roof.

The internal width of the nave and aisles, when finished, will be 84 ft. 9 in., by an average length of 75 ft.

Towards this work the Incorporated Church Building Society has voted a grant of £105.

The Church is designed by Messrs. Somers Clarke & J. T. Micklethwaite, of Westminster.

S. Nicholas, Frolesworth.

Frolesworth (anciently written Frelesworde) is a village in Leicestershire, situated about midway between the towns of Lutterworth and Hinckley.

The Church is dedicated to S. Nicholas, and is of considerable interest. Its plan consists of a nave, with north and south aisles, a chancel, western tower, and a wooden porch on the north side.

Soon after the Conquest, the Lordship of Frolesworth appears to have been in the possession of Thomas de Sacheville, a Norman, and at the same time the families of Danvers and Harcourt were also considerable landholders, but the Church contains no visible fragment of any Norman work.

The family of Danvers were connected with Frolesworth until the beginning of the reign of Edward III., and during their time the Church no doubt was originally built, as the arcades and chancel arch date back to the 13th century, and are the earliest portions still existing. In 1341, John d'Amory held the Manor of Frolesworth. Burton, in his "History of Leicestershire," says, "In the chancel lieth the Monument of a Knight, cross-legged, on whose shield, gules, is a plain cross, argent. This is reported to be Sir Roger de Amary, Knight." There has, however, been no trace of this figure for a long time.

The greater part of the early Church has also disappeared. The present north aisle is 14th century work. The chancel (an unusually fine one for a village Church) and the south aisle are 15th century. The remains of the old wood north porch are also of the same period. The tower was rebuilt in 1762.

In the chancel there are two large altar-tombs, of alabaster, with full-length effigies, and the arms and crest of Staresmore. That on the south side has an inscription: "Here lieth the body of Francis Staresmore, Esq.," &c., and bears the date 1626. The one on the north side is to the memory of his wife, and dated 1658.

In the windows of the chancel there are some fragments of good 15th century glass.

Wm Lassell-Smith, Architect.

S. NICHOLAS, FROLESWORTH.

In the recent restoration of the Church it was found necessary to rebuild a large portion of the walls of the aisles. The roofs have been repaired, renewing only where necessary. The arch between tower and nave, which was entirely destroyed (with the exception of the bases), has been restored, and the Church has been re-seated, the fittings in the chancel being entirely of oak.

The oak porch on the north side had been partly enclosed with brickwork, and was in a very dilapidated condition. It has been carefully taken down and refixed, and new tracery panels are provided in the sides where the muntins showed they existed formerly. The cost, amounting to £1700, has been defrayed by subscriptions, the father of the present Rector, the Rev. C. E. Boucher, being at the principal expense of the work.

In the village there are almshouses or "a Hospital" for eighteen poor widows, founded in 1761, "by John Smith, Lord Chief Baron of the Exchequer of Scotland, for the maintenance of 14 poor widows of the Communion of the Church of England, who are constantly to attend on the services of the Church at Frolesworth." The inmates took so much interest in the restoration of the Church, that they subscribed from their small means sufficient to pay for the pulpit, which is made out of alabaster, polished.

A new vestry and organ-chamber has been added on the south side of the chancel, but, instead of cutting an arch through into the chancel, the old window and its tracery has been left, with the glass only removed.

The restoration has been carried out under the direction of Mr. W. Bassett-Smith, of 10, John Street, Adelphi.

S. Alban's, Ventnor.

S. ALBAN'S CHURCH, Ventnor, is being built to supply the spiritual needs of a large population, which is spreading out

from Ventnor into the adjoining parish of Godshill, which is to Ventnor what Hove is to Brighton, and S. Leonards to Hastings. The necessity for another Church in this part is very great.

The Parish Church of Godshill is four miles and a half inland from the thickly populated district in which S. Alban's Church is being built, consequently it is quite impossible for the sea-board population, which S. Alban's is intended to serve, to attend it. In addition, the population of Ventnor is now 7000, largely augmented in winter by visitors, and yet there are only two pew-rented Churches, both combined containing but 1200 sittings, to supply the need of 7000, plus the population of Godshill, adjacent to Ventnor, which is rapidly increasing ; new roads are being made, and houses are being built round the site of the new Church.

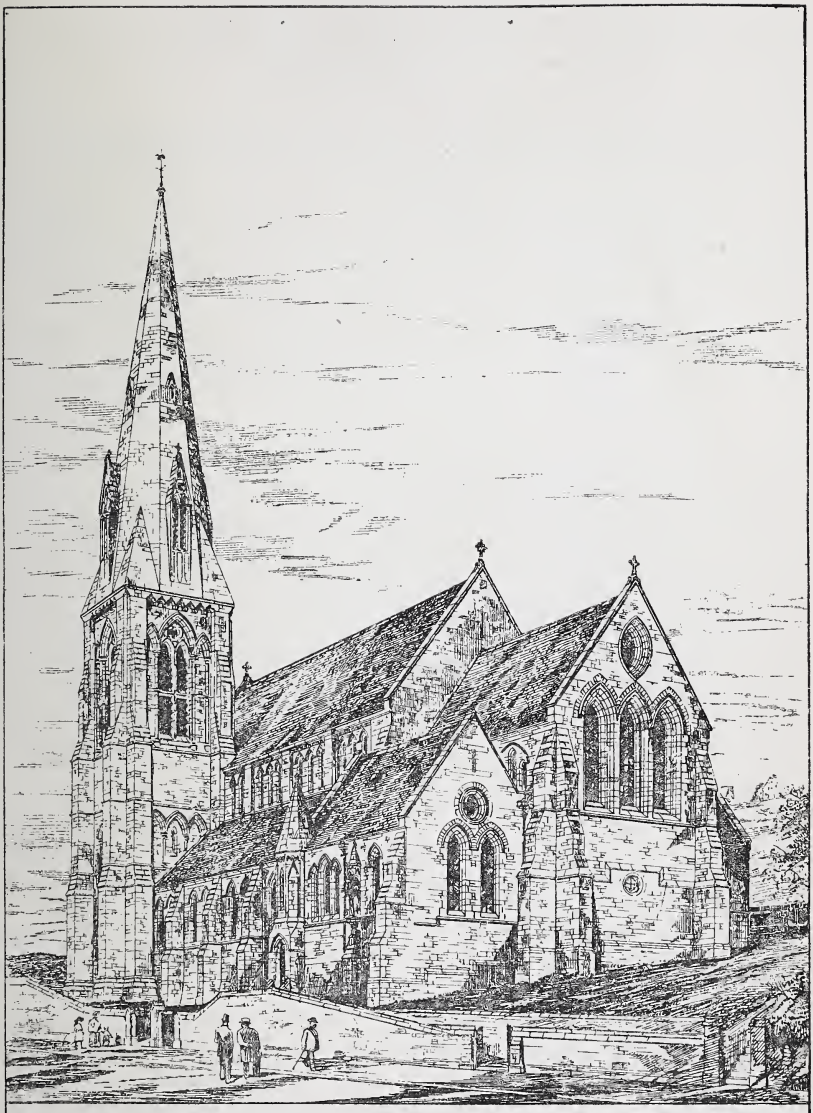
The people in the district have done their very utmost ; they have raised very nearly £2000 amongst themselves, with which the foundations of the whole of the new Church have been laid at a very great cost, on a splendid site purchased for £500. An Iron Church has been placed upon them, in which many services are being now held.

Owing to the precipitous slopes on which the beautiful town of Ventnor is built, considerable expense had to be incurred in excavating and preparing the site for the Church.

The Church will be a striking object from sea and land ; to the ships passing up and down the Channel it will form a prominent landmark. It is to be in the early English style with a broach spire 150 feet high. It will consist of chancel, nave, north and south aisles, organ-chamber, choir and clergy vestries.

The necessary deeds, &c., have been duly signed and executed, whereby the Bishop of the Diocese (Winchester) will be the Patron.

The Architect is Mr. C. R. Baker-King, A.R.I.B.A., 35, Spring Gardens, London, S.W.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Quarterly List of Amounts received, from all sources, in aid of the Church Building Society.

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1890.	Office List.			
July	30 Office Box (M.B.F.) *D*	£0	6	5
Aug.	9 Warner Fund ..... *D*	5	8	3
	Ditto (M.B.F.) *D*	5	8	2
	22 Fanshawe, E.G., Esq. (M.B.F) ..... *D*	21	0	0
	Fanshawe, Mrs. (M.B.F.) ..... *D*	21	0	0
	Previously acknowledged	1275	8	10
		1328	11	8

	Canterbury.			
Aug.	7 West Wickham ... *O*	3	13	2
Sept.	2 Selwyn, Rev. E J. *S*	1	1	0
	26 Hussey, E., Esq.... *S*	1	1	0
	Previously acknowledged...	108	11	11
		114	7	1

	York.			
	Previously acknowledged...	4	8	0

	London.			
July	9 Collings, Rev. H. *D*	1	1	0
	12 Shepherd's Bush, S. Saviour..... *O*	3	7	2
	14 Cazenove, Rev. Canon (M.B.F.) ..... *D*	5	0	0
	Whitehall, Chapel Royal (M.B.F.) *O*	14	19	3
	15 Kaye, Lieut.-General, R.A., C.B..... *S*	1	1	0
	17 White, F.A., Esq. *S*	5	5	0
	25 Noel Park, S. Mark (Wood Green)... *O*	4	1	7
	31 Cotton, Lord Justice *S*	2	2	0
Aug.	8 Upper Clapton and Stamford Hill Church Fund Association :—			
	Bradford, Rev. L. H..... *S*	0	10	6
	Byron, Mr. John *S*	1	0	0
	Foster, Mr. and Mrs. R..... *S*	10	10	0
	Hancock, Mrs. *S*	1	0	0

1890.	London (*continued*).			
Aug.	8 Hancock, The Misses ..... *S*	£0	10	0
	Howse, Mr. and Mrs. F. ..... *S*	0	10	6
	Jacomb, Mr. and Mrs. F. C.... *S*	1	1	0
	Jacomb, The Misses ..... *S*	1	1	0
	Kingsford, Rev. F.W. and Mrs. *S*	1	1	0
	Shepherd, Mr. H. H B. ... *S*	0	5	0
	Webb, Mr. and Mrs. C. A... *S*	0	10	6
	Westfield, Mr. and Mrs. ... *S*	1	0	0
Aug.	18 Angel, A. G., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
	21 Burnett, F. W., Esq. *S*	1	1	0
	28 Finchley, S. Mary *O*	9	0	0
Sept.	24 Fulham, S. Clement *O*	1	1	9
	Previously acknowledged ...	263	3	4
		331	3	7
	Expenses.....	0	8	0
		330	15	7

	Durham.			
Aug.	1 Deaf Hill, S. Paul *O*	0	7	6
Sept.	5 Hebburn-on-Tyne, S. John ..... *O*	0	12	0
	23 Darlington, S. Hilda *O*	3	14	1
	25 West Hartlepool, S. Paul's ..... *O*	2	11	2
	Benfieldside, S. Cuthbert ..... *O*	1	16	9
	Previously acknowledged ...	14	11	1
		23	12	7

	Winchester.			
June	24 Longbourne, J. V., Esq. ..... *S*	2	2	0
	Ditto (M.B.F.) *S*	1	1	0
July	1 Thompson, Rev. G. *S*	1	1	0

1890.			£	s.	d.
Winchester (*continued*).					
July	8	Churt, S. John.....*O*	1	0	11
	29	Denmead, All Saints *O*	1	0	0
Aug.	5	Sarisbury, S. Paul *O*	3	14	0
	12	Blunt, Rev. A. C...*S*	1	1	0
	18	Soberton .....*O*	0	13	1
	19	Netley Abbey, S. Edward .....*O*	4	12	5
	27	Moor, Rev. J. Frewen *S*	1	1	0
		Ditto *D*	2	2	0
Sept.	16	Woodlands S. Paul with Headley S. Peter .....*O*	2	0	9
	22	Bramley .....*O*	5	19	5
	23	Elstead.....*O*	1	7	3
		Previously acknowledged ...	81	15	6
			110	11	4

Bangor.

Aug.	12	Bangor Diocesan...*A*	10	15	10
Sept.	17	Carngiwch .....*O*	0	10	0
		Previously acknowledged ...	2	12	0
			13	17	10

Bath and Wells.

July	2	High Littleton .....*O*	1	4	0
		Previously acknowledged ...	132	5	6
			133	9	6

Carlisle.

Sept.	11	Camerton .....*O*	1	1	6
		Previously acknowledged ...	7	9	10
			8	11	4

Chester.

		Previously acknowledged ...	21	3	9

Chichester.

July	1	Tritton, Rev. R. B. *S*	1	1	0
		Hayley, Mrs. Burrell *S*	1	1	0
		Hurstpierpoint.....*O*	3	12	0
		Aldingbourne .....*O*	1	13	8
	10	Armstrong, Mrs. ...*S*	1	1	0
	24	Chichester, Cathedral *O*	5	0	6
Aug.	19	Lewes, All Saints *O*	3	1	4
Sept.	23	Silverhill, S. Matthew (Hastings) *O*	5	0	0
		Portslade-by-Sea *O*	1	12	10
		Previously acknowledged ...	86	13	9
			109	17	1

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Ely.					
July	7	Howlett, Rev. J. H. *S*	1	1	0
Aug.	5	Little Stukeley.....*O*	0	7	9
	22	Papworth, Everard *O*	2	4	0
	23	Sparke, Rev. E. ...*S*	1	1	0
	27	Woodstone .....*O*	1	0	0
Sept.	3	Covington .....*O*	0	7	0
	5	Boxford .....*O*	1	8	0
		Previously acknowledged ...	57	6	10
			64	15	7

Exeter.

July	1	Washford Pyne ...*O*	0	13	0
	15	Bridestowe .....*O*	1	11	1
	23	Nymet Rowland ...*O*	0	18	8
	29	East Budleigh.....*O*	1	0	0
Sept.	30	Rewe (M.B.F.) ...*O*	1	7	0
		Pyworthy.....*O*	1	9	0
		Goodlad, The Misses *S*	1	1	0
		Previously acknowledged ...	37	4	1
			45	3	10

Gloucester and Bristol.

July	25	Ormerod, Rev. G. T. B. (M.B.F.).....*D*	5	5	0
	29	S. George.....*O*	1	7	2
		Ditto. (M.B.F.) *O*	1	0	0
Aug.	11	Tindal, Miss M. (M.B.F.) .....*S*	1	0	0
	12	Gloucester, S. Paul *O*	1	4	8
	16	Alderton, S. Margaret *O*	1	1	7
	22	Wormington .....*O*	0	6	0
	23	Ruardean .....*O*	0	15	10
	26	Bishopsworth, S. Peter's .....*O*	2	8	0
Sept.	10	Butterworth, Rev. G. *S*	1	1	0
	15	Gorsley-with-Clifford's Mesne .....*O*	1	2	6
	19	Frenchay .....*O*	2	4	0
		Previously acknowledged ...	31	13	3
			50	9	0

Hereford.

July	1	Wakeman, Sir Offley, Bart. .....*S*	5	5	0
	26	Bromfield .....*O*	10	0	0
	28	Chelmarsh .....*O*	0	10	0
Aug.	5	Churchstoke .....*O*	1	10	6
	11	Stoke Edith.....*O*	1	10	6
Sept.	17	Mainstone.....*O*	0	8	2
		Previously acknowledged ...	35	17	1
			55	1	3

1890.			£	s.	d.
	Lichfield.				
Aug. 19	Bolas Magna	*O*	0	14	2
26	Glascote	*O*	1	17	8
Sept. 1	Shrewsbury, Holy Trinity	*O*	5	7	1
10	Hadnall	*O*	4	9	6
22	Haughton.....	*O*	0	13	6
23	Price, Rev. H. H...	*S*	1	1	0
	Previously acknowledged ..		18	16	9
			32	19	8
	Lincoln.				
July 18	Owersby, S. Martin	*O*	0	4	2
28	Dickinson, C. S., Esq.	*S*	1	0	0
Sept. 29	Leverton, S. Helen	*O*	0	12	6
27	Skirbeck, S. Nicolas	*O*	0	19	8
	Previously acknowledged ...		35	9	8
			38	6	0
	Liverpool.				
	Previously acknowledged ...		3	1	7
	Llandaff.				
July 1	Rogerstone	*O*	1	16	3
Aug. 16	Tylorstown, Holy Trinity	*O*	1	1	0
Sept. 3	Nelson, S. John ...	*O*	1	1	0
24	Llandogo	*O*	1	1	0
	Previously acknowledged ...		12	12	5
			17	11	8
	Manchester.				
Aug. 28	Urmston	*O*	2	0	0
Sept. 17	Pendleton, S. Barnabas.....	*O*	1	0	1
	Previously acknowledged ...		19	5	8
			22	5	9
	Newcastle.				
July 8	Shotley, S. John's (1889)	*O*	2	1	0
Sept. 1	Riddell, J. W. B , Esq.	*S*	1	1	0
23	Byker, S. Silas ...	*O*	1	2	6
	Previously acknowledged ...		8	3	0
			12	7	6

1890.			£	s.	d.
	Norwich.				
July 1	Blakeney, S. Nicholas	*O*	2	16	6
8	Knyvet-Wilson, The Misses	*S*	1	1	0
28	Limpenhoe and Southwood	*O*	0	5	0
31	Marlingford	*O*	0	6	6
Aug. 12	Debenham	*O*	1	1	0
16	Gosbeck, S. Mary	*O*	1	10	5
19	Smith, Rev. J., B.D.	*S*	1	1	0
Sept. 17	Billingford	*O*	0	5	0
	Previously acknowledged ...		20	4	4
			28	10	9
	Oxford.				
July 1	Mellier, W. M. Foster, Esq.....	*S*	1	1	0
14	Cazenove, Henry, Esq. (M.B.F.)...	*D*	21	0	0
18	Twyford (Berks)...	*O*	1	13	3
Aug. 7	Linslade, S. Mary	*O*	2	15	6
11	Little Horwood ...	*O*	0	10	6
Sept. 11	Redifer, Rev. A. ...	*S*	1	1	0
	Previously acknowledged ...		62	6	8
			90	7	11
	Peterborough.				
July 1	Yard, Rev. Canon T.	*S*	1	1	0
15	Towcester	*O*	3	6	6
Sept. 16	Loughborough, Holy Trinity	*O*	4	2	1
23	Great Bowden.....	*O*	1	11	3
	Previously acknowledged ...		11	4	9
			21	5	7
	Ripon.				
	Previously acknowledged ...		3	10	6
	Rochester.				
July 1	Tate, Rev. A. (M.B.F.)	*S*	1	0	0
22	Govett, Rev. J. C...	*S*	1	1	0
Aug. 12	Darnley, Earl of ...	*S*	5	5	0
29	High Halstow	*O*	1	4	9
Sept. 8	Toppin, The Misses	*S*	3	3	0
9	Wandsworth, S. Faith	*O*	0	15	0
16	Reigate, S. Mark...	*O*	11	17	9
22	Battersea Park, All Saints	*O*	1	0	0
26	Miland, Mrs. E. ...	*S*	5	0	0
30	Burstow	*O*	3	0	0
	Previously acknowledged ...		63	6	5
			96	12	11

1890 **S. Alban's.**

			£	s	d
July	1	Little Wigborough *O*	0	11	3
	10	Norman, Rev. C. F. *S*	3	3	0
		Ditto (M.B.F.) *S*	2	2	0
	11	Dovercourt, S. Augustine ..... *O*	2	2	7
	17	Colchester, The Lord Bishop of ..... *S*	1	1	0
	22	Northaw .... *O*	2	19	3
	24	Little Bromley..... *O*	0	11	0
	30	Hartley, Rev. C. (M.B.F.) ..... *S*	1	0	0
		Chipperfield ..... *O*	2	2	6
Aug.	5	Sandridge ..... *O*	4	7	8
	8	Graveley ..... *O*	1	3	5
	25	Harlow, S. Mary Magdalene ..... *O*	3	5	5
	26	Woodford..... *O*	3	16	10
Sept.	9	Roe, Mrs. Ramsden *S*	1	0	0
	16	Wix ..... *O*	1	0	0
	17	Birdbrook..... *O*	1	0	0
		Previously acknowledged ...	78	11	3
			109	17	2

Salisbury.

			£	s	d
Sept.	4	Rooke, Rev. Preb. F. J. ..... *S*	1	1	0
		Previously acknowledged ...	66	19	10
			68	0	10

S. Asaph.

			£	s	d
Aug.	26	Oswestry ..... *O*	5	5	2
Sept.	29	Hope ..... *O*	0	12	0
		Previously acknowledged ...	6	8	10
			12	6	0

S. David's.

			£	s	d
Aug.	25	LlanbedrPainscastle *O*	0	3	2
	26	Llanfihangel-Geneu'r Glyn ..... *O*	1	0	0
	27	S. Clear's ..... *O*	1	7	3
Sept.	18	Llansawel..... *O*	2	3	0
	25	Llanafan-fawr ..... *O*	0	13	0
		Previously acknowledged...	20	9	5
			25	15	10

1890. **Southwell.**

			£	s	d
July	7	Coddington ..... *O*	1	5	6
	24	Hewetson, Rev. J. *S*	2	2	0
Aug.	11	Eakring..... *O*	1	10	0
		Cator, Rev. W. L. B. *S*	1	1	0
Sept.	12	Mansfield, S. Peter *O*	5	17	0
		Previously acknowledged ...	8	4	8
			20	0	2

Truro.

			£	s	d
Aug.	8	Maker ..... *O*	0	10	0
		Pillaton..... *O*	0	12	9
		Hobhouse, Archd. *S*	1	1	0
		Ditto (M.B.F) *D*	1	1	0
		S. Ive .... *O*	0	17	3
	12	Torpoint ..... *O*	1	0	8
		UptonCross,S.Paul *O*	0	16	0
	19	S. Elwyn (Hayle) *O*	1	8	8
		Camborne (M.B.F.) *O*	1	1	11
	25	Marazion ..... *O*	2	4	6
Sept.	8	Godolphin, add to *O*	0	10	6
	17	S. Breoke ..... *O*	0	18	0
	18	Crowan ..... *O*	0	6	0
		Previously acknowledged ...	46	1	1
			58	9	4

Wakefield.

			£	s	d
Aug.	19	Robert Town ..... *O*	0	12	6
		Nixon, Rev. J. W. *S*	0	7	6
		Previously acknowledged ...		13	0
			1	13	0

Worcester.

			£	s	d
July	29	Boddington, Rev. E. H..... *S*	1	1	0
Aug.	8	Burton Dassett..... *O*	0	11	9
	19	Claines, S. John ... *O*	4	5	0
Sept.	3	Malvern Link, S. Matthias ..... *O*	4	17	8
	23	Wilden ..... *O*	2	14	3
		Previously acknowledged ...	40	1	3
			53	10	11

Sodor and Man.

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YOU ARE EARNESTLY ASKED TO HELP US.

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The population has increased tenfold during the last twenty or thirty years, owing to the introduction of the tinplate and other industries; but during that period the Church took no steps to meet the rapidly increasing demands.

The inhabitants of Morriston are almost exclusively tinplate, steel, iron, copper, and spelter workers, and colliers. Nearly all the owners of works are Dissenters.

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